

# MEDIA/TV ROSTER



00 • Caitlin McPherson  
GK • 6-0 • Fr.  
Greenwood Village, Colo.



0 • Jalen Tompkins  
GK • 5-6 • So.  
Phoenix, Ariz.



1 • Scout Watson  
GK • 5-7 • Jr.  
Overland Park, Kan.



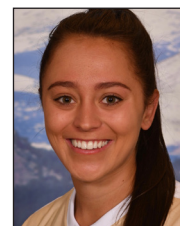
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D • 6-0 • Sr.  
Tustin, Calif.



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Scottsdale, Ariz.



4 • Nancy Best  
M • 5-7 • Jr.  
Cave Creek, Ariz.



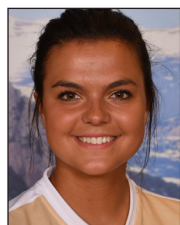
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M • 5-6 • Jr.  
Caloundra, QLD, Australia



6 • Hannah Cardenas  
D • 5-7 • Fr.  
Placentia, Calif.



7 • Libby Geraghty  
F/M • 5-6 • Fr.  
Greenwood Village, Colo.



8 • Megan Massey  
M • 5-8 • Jr.  
Highlands Ranch, Colo.



9 • Courtney Fedor  
D • 5-5 • Sr.  
Bellevue, Wash.



10 • Sarah Kinzner  
M • 5-8 • Jr.  
Calgary, Alberta



11 • Alex Vidger  
D/M • 5-10 • Jr.  
Castle Rock, Colo.



12 • Jordan Goodwin  
M • 5-4 • Fr.  
Broomfield, Colo.



13 • Hannah Scheid  
M • 5-7 • Sr.  
Wetzlar, Germany



14 • Becca Rasmussen  
M/F • 5-4 • Sr.  
Golden, Colo.



15 • Kelsey Aaknes  
D • 5-11 • So.  
Carlsbad, Calif.



16 • Erin Greening  
D • 5-7 • Jr.  
Piedmont, Calif.



17 • Katie Joella  
F • 5-4 • Fr.  
Highlands Ranch, Colo.



18 • Cassie Phillips  
M • 5-7 • Jr.  
Hartland, Mich.



19 • Stephanie Zuniga  
F • 5-1 • Jr.  
Pinole, Calif.



20 • Camilla Shymka  
F • 5-9 • So.  
Calgary, Alberta



21 • Martine Puketapu  
F • 5-8 • Fr.  
Auckland, New Zealand



22 • Taylor Kornieck  
M • 6-1 • So.  
Henderson, Nev.



23 • Tatum Barton  
F • 5-6 • So.  
Littleton, Colo.



26 • Courtney Kaplan  
D • 5-10 • So.  
St. Louis, Mo.



Danny Sanchez  
Head Coach  
6th Season



Jason Green  
Associate Head Coach  
6th Season



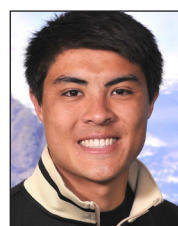
Dave Morgan  
Assistant Coach  
3rd Season



Jacy Drobney  
Volunteer Assistant  
1st Season



Kelly Labor  
Coordinator of  
Performance • 1st Season



Michael Lawson  
Student Manager  
2nd Season



Cole Sanchez  
Assistant Manager  
1st Season



Karim Derqaoui  
Strength & Conditioning  
2nd Season



Kari Kebach  
Athletic Trainer  
4th Season

# 2017 ROSTER

## Numerical Roster

No.	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown (High School/Previous School)	Pronunciation
00	Caitlin McPherson	GK	6-0	Fr.	Greenwood Village, Colo. (Cherry Creek)	
0	Jalen Tompkins	GK	5-6	So.	Phoenix, Ariz. (Pinnacle)	
1	Scout Watson	GK	5-7	Jr.	Overland Park, Kan. (Blue Valley Northwest)	
2	Joss Orejel	D	6-0	Sr.	Tustin, Calif. (Tustin)	OR-ah-jel
3	Jorian Baucom	F	5-9	Sr.	Scottsdale, Ariz. (Pinnacle/Louisiana State University)	JOR-ee-unn BAW-com
4	Nancy Best	M	5-7	Jr.	Cave Creek, Ariz. (Cactus Shadows)	
5	Isobel Dalton	M	5-6	Jr.	Caloundra, Queensland, Australia (Unity College/Lindsey Wilson (Ky.) College)	
6	Hannah Cardenas	D	5-7	Fr.	Placentia, Calif. (El Dorado)	car-DAY-nuss
7	Libby Geraghty	F	5-6	Fr.	Greenwood Village, Colo. (Cherry Creek)	GARE-uh-tee
8	Megan Massey	M	5-8	Jr.	Highlands Ranch, Colo. (Mountain Vista/University of Tennessee)	
9	Courtney Fedor	D	5-5	Sr.	Bellevue, Wash. (Interlake)	FEE-dor
10	Sarah Kinzner	M	5-8	Jr.	Calgary, Alberta (Bishop Grandin)	
11	Alex Vidger	D	5-10	Jr.	Castle Rock, Colo. (Rock Canyon)	VIDJ-err
12	Jordan Goodwin	M	5-4	Fr.	Broomfield, Colo. (Broomfield)	
13	Hannah Scheid	M	5-7	Sr.	Wetzlar, Germany (Goethe Schule/Ashford (Calif.) University)	SHYDE
14	Becca Rasmussen	M	5-4	Sr.	Golden, Colo. (Dakota Ridge/University of Georgia)	RASS-muss-en
15	Kelsey Aaknes	D	5-11	So.	Carlsbad, Calif. (La Costa Canyon)	ACK-ness
16	Erin Greening	D	5-7	Jr.	Piedmont, Calif. (Piedmont)	
17	Katie Joella	F	5-4	Fr.	Highlands Ranch, Colo. (Mountain Vista)	joe-ELL-ah
18	Cassie Phillips	M	5-7	Jr.	Hartland, Mich. (Hartland/University of Maryland)	
19	Stephanie Zuniga	F	5-1	Jr.	Pinole, Calif. (Bishop O'Dowd)	zoo-NEE-gah
20	Camilla Shymka	F	5-9	So.	Calgary, Alberta (Robert Thirsk)	CAM-ill-ah SHIM-kah
21	Martine Puketapu	F	5-8	Fr.	Auckland, New Zealand (Epsom Girls Grammer Schools)	mar-TEEN poo-kah-TOP-oo
22	Taylor Kornieck	M	6-1	So.	Henderson, Nev. (Coronado)	KOR-nee-yak
23	Tatum Barton	F	5-6	So.	Littleton, Colo. (Columbine/Texas Tech University)	
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19	Stephanie Zuniga	F	5-1	Jr.	Pinole, Calif. (Bishop O'Dowd)	zoo-NEE-gah

**Head Coach:** Danny Sanchez (6th season)

**Assistant Coaches:** Jason Green (6th season) and Dave Morgan (3rd season)

**Volunteer Assistant Coach:** Jacy Drobney (1st season)

**Coordinator of Performance Analysis and Camp Operations:** Kelly Labor (1st season)



# 15 KELSEY AAKNES

**FRESHMAN [2016]:** Aaknes emerged as one of the team's defensive leaders and led the Buffs to the NCAA Tournament and a second-place finish in the Pac-12. She started 17 of 20 matches as a defender, playing both inside and outside back. She also had eight shot attempts, including two on goal. She made her first career appearance on Aug. 19 in a 2-0 win at Air Force and made her first start on Sept. 4 in a 5-0 win against Drexel. Aaknes went on to start the final 17 matches of the year. In her 1,413 minutes on the field, CU had a 0.83 goals-against average, outscoring opponents 28-13.

**CLUB TEAM:** She played for Carlsbad Elite and led her club to league championships in 2013, 2014 and 2015, and finished third at nationals all three years. She helped the club to a regional championship in 2013 as well and was coached by Michael Duggan and Courtney Drummond.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Aaknes was a four-year letterwinner, a two-year team captain and a four-year starter, leading La Costa Canyon to a Southern California Division 2 championship in 2015 and a runner-up finish in 2014, as well as two San Diego Open Division championships. As a senior, she had 13 goals and seven assists to lead her team to a 17-4-4 record. For her four-year career, Aaknes had 22 goals and 16 assists and has led her team to a combined 73-20-13 record and was named second team all-Avocado West twice. She was coached by Natalie Elkind.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** She is undeclared on her major, but is interested in psychology because she has always been interested in why people make the decisions they do and what factors lead to those choices.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Kelsey Anne Aaknes on March 23, 1998, in Highland Park, Ill. She is the daughter of Michael and Suzanne Aaknes and has an older sister Kate, who attends CU Boulder, and a younger brother Jake. Aaknes plans on majoring in psychology and is also interested in education. She would like to become an elementary school teacher after graduation. She also helps out in the community regularly, volunteering with the Special Olympics, helping prepare meals for a homeless shelter and is currently a YMCA leader-in-training.



Defender

5-foot-11

Sophomore

Carlsbad,  
Calif.

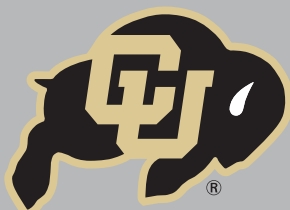
La Costa  
Canyon H.S.

Undeclared  
Major

SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2016	20	17	0	0	0	8	.000	2	.250	0	0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>.250</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>

**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Shots: 3, Utah -- Nov 04, 2016



# PLAYERS

## 4 NANCY BEST



Midfielder

5-foot-7

Junior

Cave Creek,  
Ariz.

Cactus  
Shadows H.S.

Integrative  
Physiology  
Major

**SOPHOMORE (2016):** Best became a key contributor off the bench, helping CU to reach the NCAA Tournament and finish second in the Pac-12. She appeared in 11 matches as a reserve midfielder and attempted one shot. She saw action in 119 minutes and helped CU outscore its opponents 3-1 when she was on the field. She played a season-high 24 minutes in a 5-0 win over Drexel on Sept. 4 and also saw 23 minutes of action in a win over Iowa on Sept. 11.

**REDSHIRT FRESHMAN (2015):** Best appeared in one match as a reserve midfielder. She saw seven minutes of action in a 3-0 win over Villanova on Sept. 20.

**FRESHMAN (2014):** She did not compete in any games as a freshman.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** A Rookie of the Year at Cactus Shadows, Best helped the Falcons to a runner-up finish at the state championships. As a member of SC del Sol, Best helped lead the club to a Surf Cup Championship in 2012. Under head coach Les Armstrong, SC del Sol finished the 2012-13 season ranked second in the ECNL Champions League.

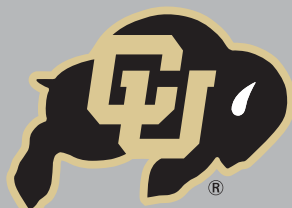
**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Best majoring in integrative physiology.

**PERSONAL:** Nancy Lee Best was born on October 25, 1996 to parents Michael and Sherry Best. Her brother Nicholas attends Arizona State University. Best's great grandfather, Dominic Vairo, was a team captain of the Notre Dame football team and played tight end for the Green Bay Packers in 1934-35. When not playing soccer, Best enjoys riding her two horses. After graduation, Best hopes to become a physical therapist because she's always been interested in exercise science and how the body works. Best chose Colorado because of the beautiful campus, education, fantastic soccer program and coaching staff.



SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2015	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
2016	11	0	0	0	0	1	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>

**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS** [all-time ranking]:  
Shots: 1, at Arizona State -- Oct 02, 2016



# PLAYERS

## 5 ISOBEL DALTON



Midfielder

5-foot-6

Senior

Caloundra,  
Queensland,  
Australia

Lindsey Wilson  
(Ky.) College

Sociology  
Major

**JUNIOR (2016):** Dalton played in seven matches as a reserve midfielder, helping CU to reach the NCAA Tournament and finish second in the Pac-12. She had an assist in a 5-0 win over Drexel on Sept. 4 and also saw action against Air Force, Iowa, Oregon State (season-high 27 minutes), Stanford, Utah and Oklahoma State. The Buffs outscored opponents 2-0 in the 79 minutes Dalton was on the field.

**SOPHOMORE (2015 at LINDSEY WILSON):** Dalton started 14 of 23 matches and led Lindsey Wilson (Ky.) College to a 20-2-2 record, including a 7-0-0 mark in conference play. She helped the Blue Raiders reach the NAIA national championship match and scored seven goals, which were fourth on the team, and two assists for 16 points. She also attempted 40 shots and had 22 on goal. Two of her goals were game-winning. She scored a goal in the second round of the NAIA Tournament in a 5-0 win over Kansas Wesleyan and had a three-goal game against Pikeville (Ky.) on Sept. 22.

**BEFORE LINDSEY WILSON:** Dalton played one year of soccer in England in 2015 for Bristol City FC in the WSL1, the top league in England. She helped Bristol City reach the Round of 16 in the Champions League against Frankfurt FC. She also spent time with the Brisbane Roar in the Australian W-League.

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE:** She has extensive international experience for her home country of Australia, competing for the U-15-16 and U-17 national teams. She has started matches in Korea, China, Malaysia and at home against New Zealand. In 2013, she helped Australia win a World Cup pre-qualifier in Manila, Philippines.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** She graduated from Unity College in Caloundra, Queensland, and led her high school team to three state championships.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Dalton is majoring in sociology and has an interest in criminal justice.

**PERSONAL:** Isobel Dalton was born on Sept. 9, 1997, in Barnsley, England, to Iain and Jackie Dalton. She goes by the nickname "Izzy" and comes from a soccer family. Her older brother Reece will play soccer at the University of Buffalo next season and her father coaches soccer, which has included time as an assistant at Hofstra University. She was born in England and lived there until age 8 before her family relocated to Australia, where she lived through high school. She moved to England for six months to play in the WSL1 in 2015 before moving to the U.S. to compete at Lindsey Wilson. She chose CU for its exceptional reputation in both academics and sports. She believes Colorado will help her grow as a footballer to help her become the best player she can be, while completing her education at the highest level possible.



SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2016	7	0	0	1	1	1	.000	1	1.000	0	0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1.000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>

**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Points: 1, Drexel -- Sep 04, 2016  
 Assists: 1, Drexel -- Sep 04, 2016  
 Shots: 1, at Air Force -- Aug 19, 2016



# PLAYERS

# 9 COURTNEY FEDOR

- 2016 Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention



Defender

5-foot-5

Senior

Bellevue,  
Wash.

Interlake H.S.

Integrative  
Physiology  
Major

**JUNIOR (2016):** Fedor became a key contributor off the bench for the Buffs as they reached the NCAA Tournament and finished second in the Pac-12. She saw action in 17 matches as a backup defender, including both NCAA Tournament matches. In the 328 minutes Fedor was on the field during the season, CU had a 0.27 goals-against average, outscoring opponents 7-1. She saw action in a season-high 54 minutes in a 3-0 win over Oregon State on Oct. 9 and also played 53 minutes in a 3-1 win over Oregon on Oct. 6. Fedor earned Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention with a 3.71 grade point average.

**SOPHOMORE (2015):** Fedor played in nine matches and earned one start as a defender. The Buffs were outstanding when she was on the field as the team had a 0.37 goals-against average in the 242 minutes she was on the pitch and CU outscored its opponents 5-1 during that time. Her only start of the season came on Sept. 20 in a 3-0 victory over Villanova as she played a season-high 88 minutes. Fedor saw action in five Pac-12 matches, including against No. 14 California, No. 21 Washington State, No. 24 Southern California, Arizona State and Utah.

**FRESHMAN (2014):** Fedor played in five matches and had one start during her first year, totaling 142 minutes. She made her collegiate debut against Colorado State, logging 24 minutes in CU's season opener. She made her first start against Northern Colorado and recorded a season-high 84 minutes on the pitch. Fedor also saw action in three other non-conference matches.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** A three-year letter-winner at Interlake, Fedor helped lead the team to the 2011 2a Washington State Championship, where she and the Saint Bernard defense allowed zero goals throughout the entire state tournament. As a sophomore, Fedor contributed four assists, helped Interlake to a 17-3-1 record and earned second-team All-King County honors. As a junior she was a first-team All-King County selection and an All-State honorable mention. That year, she scored two goals as the Saint Bernards posted an 11-4-3 record. Though an injury sidelined her most of her senior season, Fedor was named All-King County honorable mention. While she was injured, she volunteered to help run the summer high school soccer trainings. Fedor also stood out as a member of the Crossfire Elite Clubs National League team. The club won state championships in 2008 and '11 and Northwest Champions League Championships in 2011 and '12. The squad also advanced to the 2011 Region IV semi-finals and took home third place in the 2012 ECNL Flight A Finals. Fedor was also a member of the Washington ODP team, earning an invitation to the 2011 Regional Camp and a spot on the Phoenix All-Tournament Team in 2011.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Fedor is majoring in integrative physiology.

**PERSONAL:** Courtney Anne Fedor was born on August 18, 1996. Her parents are Chris, a baseball coach, and Kathy Fedor, a Microsoft employee. Her older brother Conner attends Washington State University. Fedor hopes to become a physical therapist or nurse because she likes working with people and learning how bodies work. Fedor says she chose Colorado because the beautiful campus, excellent academics and very good soccer program felt like the perfect fit for her.



SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2014	5	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
2015	9	1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
2016	17	0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	.000	0	0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>



# PLAYERS

# 16 ERIN GREENING



- 2015 CU Female Athlete of the Week (Sept. 7)
- 2016 Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention

**SOPHOMORE (2016):** Greening made the transition from forward to outside back and she led the Buffs to the NCAA Tournament and a second-place finish in the Pac-12 after starting all 22 matches. Despite leading the team with three goals scored during the spring season, she made the successful move to the back during fall camp. Greening proved one of the most durable players on the team in 2016, finishing third on the team with 1,794 minutes played. She still remained dangerous when pushing forward, attempting five shots, including two on goal. She played 90 minutes or more six times, including against Pac-12 foes Oregon, No. 10 California, No. 9 UCLA and No. 23 Utah, and also in the NCAA Tournament against No. 3 South Carolina. Greening also earned Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention with her cumulative 3.28 GPA.

**FRESHMAN (2015):** Greening appeared in 18 matches and started five times at forward as a true freshman. She scored two goals and had 19 shot attempts, including eight on goal. Both of her goals were game-winning goals as well. Greening's first career goal came at the 24-minute mark of a 3-0 win over Colorado College on Aug. 23 when her shot from 20 yards out banged into the goal off the crossbar. Her first career start came in a 4-0 win over New Mexico on Aug. 30. Greening scored the only goal in a 1-0 win over Cincinnati on Sept. 4, scoring just over two minutes into the second half, and once again, banking in her shot off the crossbar from 10 yards out. She was named CU Female Athlete of the Week on Sept. 7.

**HIGH SCHOOL/CLUB:** Greening lettered four years at Piedmont High School and was named All-League for all four seasons. She was the school's all-time leading scorer, averaging 1.9 goals per game her senior season. The team was the league champion in each season except her senior year. Her club team, Bay Oaks Botafogo in Oakland, Calif. made it to the CYSA State Championship from 2011 to 2014 and won that championship in 2012 and 2013. Greening's team also placed third at the 2013 US Soccer Club Nationals and was ranked ninth in the nation by Got Soccer. Her teammates on Botafogo included Colorado commits Brooklyn Varnadore and Stephanie Zuniga-Herrera.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Greening has not declared her major, but is interested in communications.

**PERSONAL:** Erin Greening was born in San Francisco, Calif. on June 20, 1997 to parents Michael and Teresa Greening. She has two sisters, both in college. Lauren is a marketing major at the University of San Francisco and Natalie, a sophomore at CU, studying advertising. Greening is following in her father, Michael's footsteps as a collegiate athlete. Michael played rugby and was a member of the track team at Michigan State. In her free time, Greening likes to listen to music, travel, hike and practice yoga. She has also served as a volunteer with Oakland Parks and Recreation as a youth soccer coach for inner city kids and spent three spring breaks in Mexico building houses on various mission trips. Greening chose to attend Colorado because of the experience and strength of the coaching staff, strong academics, the beautiful campus and the opportunity to play in the Pac-12 Conference.



Defender

5-foot-7

Junior

Piedmont,  
Calif.

Piedmont  
H.S.

Undeclared  
Major



SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2015	18	5	2	0	4	19	.105	8	.421	2	0-0
2016	22	22	0	0	0	5	.000	2	.400	0	0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>.083</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>.417</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0-0</b>

**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Points: 2, Colorado College -- Aug 23, 2015 ; Cincinnati -- Sep 04, 2015

Goals: 1, Colorado College -- Aug 23, 2015 ; Cincinnati -- Sep 04, 2015

Shots: 3, New Mexico -- Aug 30, 2015 ; Cincinnati -- Sep 04, 2015 ; Iowa State -- Sep 06, 2015

# PLAYERS

## 10 SARAH KINZNER



- 2014 Under-17 Canada Women's National Team
- 2015 Under-20 Canada Women's National Team
- 2015 Under-23 Canada Women's National Team
- 2015 Pac-12 All-Freshman Team
- 2016 Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention

**SOPHOMORE (2016):** Kinzner was a key part of Colorado reaching the NCAA Tournament and finishing second in the Pac-12. She started all 22 matches at midfielder, scoring four goals and adding three assists for 11 points. She also attempted 26 shots, including 11 on goal and had two game-winning goals. She kicked the season off with the team's first goal of the year at 44:57 in a 2-0 win over Air Force, the latest first-half goal in school history. Kinzner netted a game-tying goal at Missouri on Aug. 28. Her 12th-minute goal against Drexel on Sept. 4 put CU up 2-0 in a 5-0 win, and she scored her final goal of the year with the first score in a 3-0 victory against Oregon State on Oct. 9. She also had assists against Colorado State, Iowa and Washington State. Her assist against Washington State was key, leading to Taylor Kornieck's game-winning goal in the 89th minute for a 1-0 victory. Kinzner also earned Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention with her 3.47 cumulative GPA.

**FRESHMAN (2015):** Kinzner started all 20 matches as a center midfielder as a true freshman. She saw action in 1,503 minutes and scored a goal and had two assists, while attempting 16 shots (four on goal). She recorded her two assists in back-to-back games, both shutout victories. Her first came when she helped set up Joss Drejel for a score in a 4-0 win over New Mexico on Aug. 30. Her second assist led to a goal by fellow freshman Erin Greening in a 1-0 victory against Cincinnati on Sept. 4. Kinzner scored her first career goal on Oct. 30, the first goal in a 3-3 draw with No. 25 Arizona. Her shot came from 20 yards out and was sent into the upper-left corner of the net.

**CANADA NATIONAL TEAMS:** Kinzner started all five matches for Canada at the 2015 CONCACAF U-20 Championships in Honduras. She scored two goals and led the team to a runner-up finish, scoring in wins over Trinidad & Tobago and Jamaica. She also played the first 46 minutes of a 1-0 loss to the United States in the final. She also competed with the U-23 team at the Pan American Games in 2015, appearing in four matches with two starts. Altogether in international play, she has played in 18 matches with 16 starts and has scored four goals with two assists.

**HIGH SCHOOL/CLUB:** Kinzner earned honors each of her four seasons at Bishop Grandin High School and was named the city female soccer player of the year as a senior. As member of Foothills FC, she participated in Club Nationals in 2010 and 2012, where the team finished fifth and third respectively. Kinzner's experience with the ASA Provincial Team was annual starting at 13-years of age in 2009 and continued through 2013. She was named to Team Alberta in her age group three years in a row (2011-2013). Kinzner also participated in the under-17 CONCACAF in Jamaica for the Canadian National Team, earning a silver medal. She also played on the U17 and U20 Canadian National Teams in the FIFA World Cup, reaching the Quarter Finals each time in 2014.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Kinzner is majoring in business accounting and finance. She is also interested in math and science.

**PERSONAL:** Sarah Kinzner of Calgary, Alberta was born on August 28, 1997 to Robert and Phyllis Kinzner. Her father, Robert is an auditor and her mother, Phyllis is an administrative assistant. Kinzner is the youngest of three. She has two sisters, Kelsey and Melissa. Kelsey is a senior on Mount Royal University's soccer team in Calgary and is a three-time Academic All-Canadian Award winner and Melissa is a sophomore in college. Kinzner will be joining her cousin, Tanner Jaillet, in the Centennial State as he is a freshman, goalie on Denver's hockey team. Kinzner loves funny movies and would like to become an accountant when she graduates. She decided to attend CU because it's a member of the Pac-12 Conference, its academics and coaching staff.

Midfielder

5-foot-8

Junior

Calgary,  
Alberta

Bishop  
Grandin H.S.

Business  
Accounting  
and Finance  
Major



SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2015	20	20	1	2	4	16	.062	4	.250	0	0-0
2016	22	22	4	3	11	26	.154	11	.423	2	0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>.119</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>.357</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0-0</b>

**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Points: 2, 5 times

Goals: 1, 5 times

Assists: 1, 5 times

Shots: 3, at Air Force -- Aug 19, 2016 ; Oklahoma State -- Nov 12, 2016

**PLAYERS**



# PLAYERS

# 22 TAYLOR KORNIIECK



- 2016 Under-18 USWNT
- 2016 Pac-12 Offensive Player of the Week (Oct. 4)
- 2016 Top Drawer Soccer National Player of the Week (Oct. 4)
- 2016 Pac-12 Freshman of the Year
- 2016 first-team All-Pac-12
- 2016 Pac-12 All-Freshman Team
- 2016 NSCAA first-team all-Pacific Region
- 2016 Top Drawer Soccer Freshman Best XI first team
- 2017 Under-19 and Under-20 USWNT

**FRESHMAN (2016):** Kornieck capped one of the best seasons in Colorado history—not just for a freshman, but for anyone—by leading the Buffs to the NCAA Tournament and a second-place finish in the Pac-12. She captured numerous awards, including Pac-12 Freshman of the Year, first-team all-Pac-12, NSCAA first-team all-Pacific Region, and Top Drawer Soccer Freshman Best XI first team. She finished her first year in Boulder by starting all 22 matches with 11 goals, four assists, 26 points, 77 shot attempts, 27 shots on goal and six game-winning goals. She averaged 0.50 goals per game and 1.18 points per game. Kornieck tied the CU single-season record for penalty-kick goals (3). Additionally, in the single-season record books, she ranked second in game-winning goals, tied for second in goals per game, third in points per game, and tied for third in points and goals. Nationally, she ranked ninth in game-winning goals, 45th in goals, 59th in shots per game (3.50), 66th in points and 80th in goals per game. In the Pac-12, she was second in goals and game-winning goals, fourth in shots per game, fifth in goals per game and sixth in points and points per game. Her totals for goals and points both ranked as the second-most ever for a CU freshman and she finished second in the nation among freshmen in goals scored and third in points. Kornieck scored her first career goal against Colorado State in the seventh minute on Aug. 21 and had her first assist on Sept. 1 against Michigan State. On Sept. 4, she recorded five points with two goals and an assist, making it the third time in CU history a freshman has had five points in a match and then scored twice against Hawai'i on Sept. 9 to become the first CU freshman to ever record back-to-back two-goal matches. She opened Pac-12 play with a bang for the Buffs, scoring at 88:41 to lift CU to a 1-0 win at Washington State, the 200th win in school history and CU's first-ever win in Pullman. It was also the third-latest regulation game-winning goal in school history. That goal sparked a five-match goal-scoring streak lasting through Oct. 9, the longest ever at CU. She also became the first CU player ever to score the game-winning goal in three consecutive matches, netting winners at Washington State (1-0 win), at Arizona (Sept. 29, 1-0 win) and at Arizona State (Oct. 2, 1-0 win). Those efforts led to her earning Top Drawer Soccer National Player of the Week and Pac-12 Offensive Player of the Week on Oct. 4. Her goal streak continued beyond the Arizona trip as she scored in wins over Oregon on Oct. 6 and Oregon State on Oct. 9 at home, capping her record-breaking run. Her goal streak ended on Oct. 14, but she kept her points streak alive at six matches with two assists in a 2-1 win over Washington as CU moved to 6-0-0 in Pac-12 play for the first time ever. The six-match points streak was the second-longest ever at Colorado. In 11 Pac-12 matches, Kornieck finished the season with six goals and two assists for 14 points.

**CLUB TEAM:** She played for the San Diego Surf and Las Vegas Premier ECNL clubs, where she was the top goal scorer in 2015 for the Southwest Division of the ECNL and third in the country. Kornieck was selected to the ECNL/iD2 National Camp in 2015 and was a Top XI selection and named MVP of the camp. In 2014, she led Surf White 99 to a U-15 national championship as a discovery player. She was coached by Mark Spooner. Taylor also led her club team in Nevada to the 2015 Surf Cup championship and three Nevada state championships.

**ODP:** Kornieck was a member of the Nevada Olympic Development Program and was selected as a team captain. She earned numerous awards and was selected to several all-star teams and was chosen to the Region IV ODP team in 2015, where she was named to the Best XI.

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE:** Kornieck was a member of the Under-18 USWNT in 2016 and was selected as a team captain. She competed in several matches in Spain and England in 2016 prior to joining the Buffs as a freshman. In 2017, she was promoted to the U-19 and U-20 national teams, playing in six matches. She scored her first international goal in a win over England in July and had an assist with the U-19 squad and another with the U-20 team. During the summer, she saw action in two U-19 matches against Czech Republic, two against England with the U-20s and two against Germany with the U-20s. Her assist against the Czech Republic in Prague was against the Czech full national team in a 5-2 defeat.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Kornieck was a 2015 NSCAA All-American at Coronado High School where she served as team captain. As a senior, she also was named Nevada player of the year after scoring 54 goals and adding 12 assists and leading Coronado to the state finals. She was a three-time all-state honoree, totaling 84 goals and 37 assists in her three-year career. The team had a combined 57-5 record over three seasons, reaching the state championship twice. She was coached by Dana Neel. A well-rounded athlete, Kornieck was also an outside hitter for the Coronado volleyball team and played wide receiver for the flag football team. She was also a standout in the classroom and was a three-time scholar-athlete.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** She is majoring in integrative physiology. She would like to open a facility to help rehabilitate athletes to get them back to competition after she graduates.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Taylor Jacklyn Kornieck on Nov. 22, 1998, in Troy, Michigan. She is the daughter of Kevin and Kristin Kornieck and her brother Nick plays basketball at Spire Institute. Her mother Kristin played professional volleyball in Europe. She plans on majoring in sports medicine at Colorado and is also interested in business as she wants to open a facility to help rehabilitate athletes from injuries following a professional playing career.

SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2016	22	22	11	4	26	77	.143	27	.351	6	3-3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>.143</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>.351</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3-3</b>

**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Points: 5 [t-5th], Drexel -- Sep 04, 2016  
 Goals: 2 [t-5th], Drexel -- Sep 04, 2016 ; Hawaii -- Sep 09, 2016  
 Assists: 2 [t-3rd], Washington -- Oct 14, 2016  
 Shots: 8 [t-8th], Utah -- Nov 04, 2016

Midfielder

6-foot-1

Sophomore

Henderson,  
Nev.

Coronado  
H.S.

Integrative  
Physiology  
Major



**PLAYERS**



# PLAYERS

## 8 MEGAN MASSEY



**SOPHOMORE (2016):** Massey led CU to the NCAA Tournament and a second-place finish in the Pac-12 in her first season in Boulder. She started all 22 matches at midfielder and was one of six players to do so. She appeared in 1,416 minutes on the field and helped CU outscored its opponents 24-14 during that time. She also finished with 15 shot attempts, including seven on goal. She played a season-high 89 minutes in a 3-2 overtime win at No. 10 California on Oct. 23. Massey was responsible for marking All-American Jessie Fleming and held her to one shot attempt in a 1-0 win over No. 9 UCLA on Oct. 27. She also had a season-high four shot attempts in a 1-1 draw with No. 23 Utah on Nov. 4.

**FRESHMAN (2015 AT TENNESSEE):** Massey played in 13 matches and averaged 23 minutes, while attempting 10 shots at the University of Tennessee.

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE:** She was twice invited to the U.S. Girls National Team Camp.

**ODP:** Massey was a member of the Colorado ODP Team in 2011 and 2012 and the Region IV ODP Team in 2012.

**CLUB TEAM:** She played for Real Colorado and won the State Cup championships in 2009 and 2011. She scored 52 career ECNL goals and was a team captain. She was also invited to the ECNL/id2 National Training Camp in 2013 and 2014.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Massey was a 2015 graduate of Mountain Vista High School, where she was a four-year letterwinner. She was named NSCAA first-team All-America and Colorado player of the year as a senior in 2015. She also earned first-team all-state each of her last three years and was a four-time first-team all-Continental League selection, while earning team MVP honors each year. She led Mountain Vista to the 2013 state championship, scoring the game-winning goal in overtime, and the 2012, 2013 and 2015 Continental League championships. Massey was named the No. 57 overall recruit in the nation by IMG Academy 150. In four seasons, she scored 72 goals, including 26 as a senior. She also volunteered for Coats for Colorado and as a youth soccer coach.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Massey is majoring in business administration and marketing and intends to go into technology sales after graduation.

**PERSONAL:** Megan Lyn Massey was born on April 9, 1997, in Sacramento, Calif., to Brent and Heidi Massey. She has a younger sister Mia who also plays soccer. She chose CU because of the culture that the coaching staff is creating, which gives her the opportunity to represent Colorado and compete in the best conference in the country. She also likes the world-class education and the beautiful setting in Boulder.



Midfielder

5-foot-8

Junior

Highlands Ranch, Colo.

University of Tennessee

Business Administration and Marketing Major



SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2016	22	22	0	0	0	15	.000	7	.467	0	0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>.000</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>.467</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>

**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Shots: 4, Utah -- Nov 04, 2016

# PLAYERS

## 2 JOSS OREJEL

- 2012 Under-17 Mexico Women's National Team
- 2015 Under-20 Mexico Women's National Team



Defender

6-foot-0

Senior

Tustin, Calif.

Tustin H.S.

Advertising  
Major

**JUNIOR (2016):** Orejel was a big part of CU reaching the NCAA Tournament and finishing second in the Pac-12. She started 12 of 17 matches at left-outside back. She had two assists and attempted 11 shots, including one on goal. She started the first 12 matches of the year before missing five with a knee injury. She returned prior to the end of conference play and saw action in the final five matches of the year, including both NCAA Tournament matches. She had her first assist of the season in a 4-1 win over Iowa on Sept. 1. She added another assist in a 1-1 draw with No. 23 Utah on Nov. 4. For the year, she played in 1,171 minutes, leading the team to a 0.85 goals-against average when she was on the field, outscoring opponents 21-11 during that time. She saw action in at least 80 minutes eight times, including 90 at Missouri and 91 minutes of an overtime win against Denver.

**SOPHOMORE (2015):** Orejel emerged as a defensive leader in her second season with the Buffs, starting 17 matches as a left-outside defender. She scored one goal and had four assists, while the team had a 1.49 goals-against average while she was on the field in 1,388 minutes. She also attempted 14 shots, including five on goal. She helped the team to a 3-0 win over Colorado College on Aug. 23 with an assist in 63 minutes on the pitch. Orejel scored her only goal of the season on Aug. 30 in a 4-0 win over New Mexico. She was key to a 2-1 overtime win over No. 14 California on Sept. 27 as her corner kick found Emily Paxton for the game-winning goal in the 106th minute. Her corner kick against No. 19 Washington in the 58th minute led to Heather Ward's game-tying goal in a 1-1 draw with the Huskies at Prentup Field. Her final assist of the year came at UCLA in a 2-1 loss.

**FRESHMAN (2014):** In her first season, Orejel played in 14 matches and led all freshmen making seven starts, four against non-conference opponents and three in conference play. She also led the freshmen class in playing time as she was on the pitch for a total of 661 minutes. Orejel was third on the team with three assists and as a member of the backline, she helped the defense tally six of the team's program record-tying 12 shutouts for season. Orejel also put three of her five shots on frame.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Orejel's focus on club play during her prep career helped her gain major attention. Under Coach Randy Dodge, Orejel and the So Cal Blues were three-time league champions and won back-to-back Surf College Cup Championships and the 2011 State Championship. Orejel was named to the state Olympic Development Program team in 2011. As a member of the Under-17 Mexican Women's National Team, she played in the 2012 World Cup. Orejel has a four-star rating on Top Drawer Soccer, coming in as her region's 27th ranked player.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Orejel is majoring in advertising with a minor in Spanish.

**PERSONAL:** Jocelyn Marie Orejel was born on November 14, 1996 to parents Rudy and Rosie Orejel. She has two younger siblings, Justin and Gisselle. Her nickname is Joss. She's bilingual and traveled all around the world before the age of 16. After graduation, Orejel wants to start her own business. She is the first of her family to attend college and chose Colorado because this is a place she could see herself being for the next four years and beyond.



SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2014	14	7	0	3	3	5	.000	3	.600	0	0-0
2015	17	17	1	4	6	14	.071	5	.357	0	0-0
2016	17	12	0	2	2	11	.000	1	.091	0	0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>.033</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>.300</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>

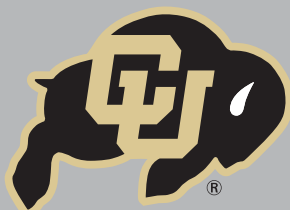
**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Points: 2, New Mexico -- Aug 30, 2015

Goals: 1, New Mexico -- Aug 30, 2015

Assists: 1, 9 times

Shots: 3, Iowa State -- Sep 06, 2015



## PLAYERS



# 13 HANNAH SCHEID

**JUNIOR (2016):** Sat out the season due to NCAA transfer rules.

**BEFORE CU:** Scheid played as an amateur in the second division of the Bundesliga in Germany for two years. She started all 20 matches and was a team captain for Hessen Wetzlar in 2015-16 and led the team to the Regionaligga title and promotion to Bundesliga 2 and the Hesse Cup championship after the 2014-15 season.

**FRESHMAN (2013 AT ASHFORD):** She played her freshman season at Ashford University in 2013 where she was third on the team in scoring with four goals and four assists, while starting all 17 matches. She led the team to a 13-4 record and had a season-high two goals in a 4-0 win over AIB College of Business on Sept. 8.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Scheid graduated from Goethe Schule in Wetzlar, Germany.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Scheid is majoring in biology at CU.

**PERSONAL:** Hannah Scheid was born on Nov. 10, 1994, in Wetzlar, Germany, to Wolfgang Scheid and Martina Bangel. She has an older brother Max and a young sister Pauline and is bilingual in German and English after growing up in Germany. She enjoys reading and skiing and chose the University of Colorado because of its high performance in sports and studies.

Midfielder

5-foot-7

Senior

Wetzlar,  
Germany

Ashford  
(Calif.)  
University

Biology Major



# PLAYERS

## 20 CAMILLA SHYMKA



**FRESHMAN [2016]:** Shymka was a key contributor to Colorado reaching the NCAA Tournament and finishing second in the Pac-12. She saw action in 15 matches with two starts at forward and scored one goal and had two assists. She also attempted 25 shots, including 15 on goal. She netted her first career goal in the 66th minute of a 4-1 win over Iowa on Sept. 11. She had assists on Sept. 4 in a 5-0 win over Drexel and on Oct. 14 in a 2-1 win over Washington. Shymka suffered a season-ending knee injury against Washington.

**CLUB TEAM:** She is a member of Canada's U-20 women's soccer team and competed with current CU player Sarah Kinzner at the 2015 CONCACAF U-20 Championship, helping Canada to a silver medal. She played for Alberta Soccer for five years and was named to the Alberta all-star team. While playing for South West United Premiers, she led her team to the Canadian National Club Championship four years in a row and medaled each time (2012-15). In 2012, Shymka earned the Canadian National Club Championship Golden Boot Award. With South West United Premiers, she was coached by Nick Koev and Ramon Mifflin.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** She graduated from Robert Thirsk High School in Calgary, Alberta.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** She is majoring in integrative physiology. She is interested in fitness and the body.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Camilla Shymka on May 5, 1998, in Calgary, Alberta. She is the daughter of Michael and Katharine Shymka and has an older brother named James, who also played soccer. She plans on majoring in kinesiology and business at Colorado and is also interested in law. In her spare time, she enjoys figure skating, playing tennis and reading. Shymka was a competitive figure skater until age 14.



Forward

5-foot-9

Sophomore

Calgary,  
Alberta

Robert Thirsk  
H.S.

Integrative  
Physiology  
Major

SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2016	15	2	1	2	4	25	.040	15	.600	0	0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>.040</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>.600</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>

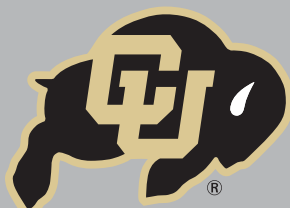
**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Points: 2, Iowa -- Sep 11, 2016

Goals: 1, Iowa -- Sep 11, 2016

Assists: 1, Washington -- Oct 14, 2016 ; Drexel -- Sep 04, 2016

Shots: 7 [t-22nd], Colorado State -- Aug 21, 2016





# 0 JALEN TOMPKINS

- 2012 Under-15 USWNT
- 2013 Under-16 USWNT
- 2014 Under-17 USWNT
- 2016 Pac-12 Goalkeeper of the Week (Sept. 27, Oct. 4)
- 2016 CU Co-Female Athlete of the Week (Sept. 27)
- 2016 Top Drawer Soccer honorable mention Team of the Week (Oct. 4)
- 2016 Pac-12 All-Freshman Team
- 2016 Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention
- 2016 Top Drawer Soccer Freshman Best XI second team

Goalkeeper

5-foot-6

Sophomore

Phoenix, Ariz.

Pinnacle H.S.

Integrative  
Physiology  
Major

**REDSHIRT FRESHMAN (2016):** Tompkins led Colorado to one of the best seasons in school history, reaching the NCAA Tournament and finishing second in the Pac-12. She emerged as one of the top goalkeepers in the country as a freshman, earning Pac-12 All-Freshman honors and was named to the Top Drawer Soccer Freshman Best XI second team. For the season, she started 20 of 22 matches, posting a 15-5-1 record, 0.83 goals-against average and .855 save percentage, while making 100 saves and allowing just 17 in 1,846:57. She also had seven solo shutouts and averaged 4.55 saves per game. She broke every freshman CU record, including saves, save percentage, GAA, wins and shutouts. Tompkins ranked 25th in the nation in save percentage, 32nd in saves, 49th in GAA and 58th in shutouts, while sitting first in the Pac-12 in saves per game, second in total saves, third in save percentage, fourth in shutouts and fifth in GAA. Her save percentage was also fifth-best among freshmen in the country. In the CU record books, she tied the single-season record for wins and was second in save percentage and fifth in saves, saves per game and GAA. Tompkins emerged as the starting goalkeeper after splitting time with Scout Watson over the first three matches, making 12 saves in an overtime loss at Missouri on Aug. 28, the most saves ever for a CU freshman and most for any CU goalkeeper since 2008. She recorded her first career shutout with one save in a 5-0 victory against Drexel on Sept. 4. She then had four consecutive shutouts and broke the school record for consecutive shutout minutes, reaching 480:43 from Sept. 17 to Oct. 2 with clean sheets against Denver (six saves), Washington State, Arizona (three saves) and Arizona State (six saves). Her shutout to open Pac-12 play at WSU on Sept. 23 was the 200th win in CU history and the first-ever in Pullman and she made seven saves in the effort. Tompkins blanked Oregon State in a 3-0 victory with two saves on Oct. 9. She led the Buffs to a double-overtime win at No. 10 California with nine saves on Oct. 23 and then a 1-0 victory at home against No. 9 UCLA four days later with four saves. Tompkins started all 11 Pac-12 matches and went 8-2-1 in conference play with a 0.89 GAA and .857 save percentage. She is also an excellent student, earning Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention with a 3.79 cumulative GPA.

**FRESHMAN (2015):** Redshirted as a true freshman.

**HIGH SCHOOL/CLUB:** Tompkins was a four-year letterwinner during her high school career, where she helped the Pinnacle Pioneers win the 2014 state championship, holding every opponent scoreless playing goalkeeper through her team's tournament run. A three-time Pinnacle Outstanding Goalkeeper award winner, Tompkins has also played for Sereno 97 ECNL club team, winning five Arizona State Club Soccer Championships and most recently, in 2013, she contributed to a squad that won the National (U-16) ECNL Club Soccer Championship. Tompkins has participated in various Olympic Development Programs. From 2010-12, she was a member of the ODP Region IV U13-15 squad, played on the US WNT U15 and U-17 for four years and also earned a spot on the ECNL U15-18 squad from 2011-15. She was invited to numerous national and regional ODP training camps from 2010-13. Tompkins also took home several honors during her time with the ODP program, which included the 2012 "Golden Glove - Top Goalkeeper" award in the Puma Women's Elite Showcase and was named to the ECNL National Showcase All Event First Team and ODP Region IV 97' All-Tournament First Team. When Tompkins is not on the pitch, she shines academically. The Phoenix, Ariz. native has earned a place on the Superintendent's Honor-Roll every semester of high school.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Tompkins is majoring in integrative physiology.

**PERSONAL:** Jalen Justine Tompkins was born on February 14, 1997 in Phoenix, Ariz. and is the daughter of James Tompkins and Kelly Johnson. She has an older brother, Evan, who is a sophomore and plays football at Bemidji State. Tompkins hopes to pursue a career in medicine, specifically as a pediatric oncologist after she graduates. She enjoys fishing, hiking, rollerblading, watching movies and spending time with friends. When Tompkins was 15 year-old, she traveled to Costa Rica to play soccer and the highlight of her trip was spending time at an orphanage where she met underprivileged children and had the opportunity to connect with them through sports and games. Tompkins chose to attend Colorado because of the strong academics, and the beautiful campus and city of Boulder. She was also impressed with the athletes, coaching staff and athletic department at CU.

SEASON	GP	GS	Minutes	GA	GAA	Saves	Save%	W	L	T	Sho
2016	22	20	1846:57	17	0.83	100	.855	15	5	1	7.1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>1846:57</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0.83</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>.855</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>7.1</b>

**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Saves: 12 [t-13th], at Missouri -- Aug 28, 2016





# PLAYERS

## 11 ALEX VIDGER



- 2015 Under-20 USWNT Training Camp
- 2016 CU Female Athlete of the Week (Aug. 23)
- 2016 Pac-12 All-Academic Honorable Mention

**SOPHOMORE (2016):** Vidger was a major contributor to one of CU's best seasons ever, reaching the NCAA Tournament and finishing second in the Pac-12. She played in all 22 matches and started 15 times as a center back. She also scored two goals and had an assist for five points, while attempting nine shots and seven on goal. She scored in a season-opening 2-0 win at Air Force on Aug. 19 and had her second goal of the year to tie the game against Michigan State on Sept. 1. Vidger recorded her first career assist in a 3-0 win over Oregon State on Oct. 9. After starting the first five matches of the year, she came off the bench in the next seven, but returned to start the final 10 matches of the season. For the season, she was on the field for 1,648 minutes. She also earned Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention with her 3.70 cumulative GPA.

**FRESHMAN (2015):** Vidger played in 17 matches with three starts as a defender as a true freshman. She saw action in 875 minutes, helping the team to a 0.93 goals-against average when she was on the pitch. She attempted 10 shots, including three on goal. She started the first two matches of Pac-12 play, seeing time on the pitch in 83 minutes of a 2-1 overtime win against No. 14 California on Sept. 27, and playing 84 minutes in a 1-0 loss at Oregon on Oct. 2. Vidger attempted a season-high three shots in a 1-1 draw with No. 19 Washington on Oct. 9. She played a season-high 90 minutes in her third start of the season, the final match of the year at Utah on Nov. 6.

**HIGH SCHOOL/CLUB:** Vidger has earned a Varsity letter all four years as a high school player. She was named the team's Defensive Player of the Year in her sophomore and junior seasons. Vidger also earned recognition as First-team All-League as a junior and Second-team All-League as a sophomore. She participated in an Olympic Development Camp in 2011 through 2013 and was part of the Regional IV Camp in 2012. Vidger played her club ball alongside fellow 2015 recruit Amy Alexander with Real Colorado out of Highlands Ranch, Colo.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Vidger is majoring in broadcast journalism with a minor in business.

**PERSONAL:** Alexandra Vidger is the oldest of three children for Paul and Teresa Vidger. Born in Dallas, Texas, Vidger moved with her family to Castle Rock, Colo. before high school. She is active in community service as a member of National Honor Society and has been involved with the National Charity League since 2010. Her goal after her career as a Buff is to get into sports broadcasting and compete for the U.S. National Team. Vidger chose Colorado because of the fantastic soccer program, academics, beautiful campus and the ability to stay in state.



Defender

5-foot-10

Junior

Castle Rock, Colo.

Rock Canyon H.S.

Broadcast Journalism Major

SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2015	17	3	0	0	0	10	.000	3	.300	0	0-0
2016	22	15	2	1	5	9	.222	7	.778	0	0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>.105</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>.526</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>

**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Points: 2, at Air Force -- Aug 19, 2016 ; Michigan State -- Sep 01, 2016

Goals: 1, at Air Force -- Aug 19, 2016 ; Michigan State -- Sep 01, 2016

Assists: 1, Oregon State -- Oct 09, 2016

Shots: 3, Washington -- Oct 09, 2015



# 1 SCOUT WATSON



Goalkeeper

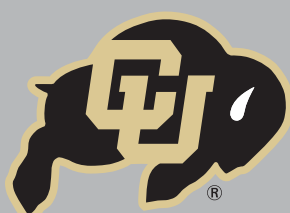
5-foot-7

Junior

Overland  
Park, Kan.

Blue Valley  
Northwest  
H.S.

Advertising  
Major



**SOPHOMORE (2016):** Watson helped CU reach the NCAA Tournament and finish second in the Pac-12. She saw action in five matches with two starts at goalkeeper, recording a 0-1-0 record, 1.44 goals-against average and .769 save percentage. She had 10 saves and allowed just three goals in 187:47. Watson made two saves in the second half to combine with Jalen Tompkins for a 2-0 shutout in a season-opening win at Air Force on Aug. 19. She had a season-high four saves, while playing the entire second half of a 4-1 win against Iowa on Sept. 11. Watson also had two saves and did not allow a goal in 22 minutes of action against eventual national champion Southern California on Oct. 30.

**REDSHIRT FRESHMAN (2015):** Watson saw action in six matches and started four as a goalkeeper. She posted a 1.89 goals-against average and .529 save percentage with nine save in 380 minutes of action. She led CU to a 3-0 shutout, playing all 45 minutes of the second half against Colorado College on Aug. 23, but did not face any shots on goal. Her first save came in the second half of a 4-0 win against New Mexico on Aug. 30. Watson then guided the Buffs to a 1-1 draw with No. 19 Washington on Oct. 9 with a season-high four saves.

**FRESHMAN (2014):** Watson redshirted and did not compete.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Watson was a multi-sport star at Blue Valley Northwest. In soccer, she was a three-year letter-winner, helping the Huskies to a 24-9-4 record in her sophomore and junior seasons and the 2013 state and regional championships. She also played basketball (a three-year letter-winner as a guard), volleyball (helping the team to the 2013 runner-up title and sub-state championship as a right side hitter) and softball (playing shortstop and second base, for which she was an honorable mention selection as a freshman). Watson was the first female athlete at BVNW to play three sports all four years. With the Sporting Valley soccer club, Watson earned a fourth place finish at the 2012 ECNL Nationals and fifth at the 2013 Nationals. Watson was also named to the 2012-13 ECNL All-Event Team.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Watson is majoring in advertising.

**PERSONAL:** Scout Hunter Watson was born on May 1, 1996 to parents Vincent and Rebecca Watson. Her nickname is Scooter. She has three older sisters: Madison, who played soccer at Wentworth Institute of Technology; Parker, who swam for the University of Wisconsin Milwaukee; and Aaron. As the youngest in her family, she has a jungle gym for a bedroom, consisting of a slide, rock wall, fireman's pole and monkey bars. Watson enjoys singing (though she says she's not very good), playing sports and trying to make people laugh. Watson volunteers for the Special Olympics. She chose Colorado because it was the best opportunity to play collegiate soccer and the university has a great broadcast program. She is interested in sports broadcasting, communications and the process of creating a story.



SEASON	GP	GS	Minutes	GA	GaAvg	Saves	Save%	W	L	T	Sho
2015	6	4	380:00	8	1.89	9	.529	0	3	1	0.2
2016	5	2	187:47	3	1.44	10	.769	0	1	0	0.1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>567:47</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>1.74</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>.633</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0.3</b>

**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Saves: 4, Washington -- Oct 09, 2015 ; Iowa -- Sep 11, 2016

# PLAYERS

# 19 STEPHANIE ZUNIGA



- 2011 Under-15 USWNT Training Camp
- 2014 Under-18 USWNT Player Pool
- 2016 Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention

**SOPHOMORE (2016):** Zuniga was a key contributor to CU putting together one of the best seasons in school history, reaching the NCAA Tournament and finishing second in the Pac-12. She played in all 22 matches as a reserve forward and tied for the team lead with six assists and also had a goal for eight points. Zuniga attempted 15 shots, including seven on goal. She had assists in the first two matches of the season, wins over Air Force and Colorado State. She found the net for her first goal of the year on Sept. 4 in a 5-0 win against Drexel. Her third assist of the year came on Sept. 11 in a 4-1 win against Iowa. Two key plays early in Pac-12 play did not end up in the stat sheet. She helped Mikaela Kraus draw a foul at the top of the box with a chip pass to Kraus against Arizona State on Oct. 9 that led to goal on a direct kick by Taylor Kornieck, and also drew a foul in the box that led to a penalty goal against Oregon on Oct. 6. She had an assist against Oregon State in a 3-0 win on Oct. 9 as well and then assisted on Danica Evans' game-winning goal in a 2-1 win against Washington on Oct. 14 as the Buffs opened Pac-12 play with a 6-0-0 record. Her biggest play of the season came in the closing seconds of double overtime at No. 10 California. Following a foul near midfield, Zuniga sent a free kick into the box and Kornieck headed it in for a 3-2 victory with just two seconds remaining in double overtime, the latest game-winning goal in school history. In 11 Pac-12 matches, she had three assists. Zuniga also earned Pac-12 All-Academic honorable mention with a cumulative GPA of 3.22.

**FRESHMAN (2015):** Zuniga played in 15 matches as a reserve forward as a true freshman. She scored one goal and had six shot attempts, including three on goal. In the 308 minutes she was on the pitch, CU outscored its opponents 5-1. Her first career goal came in the 42nd minutes of a 4-0 win over New Mexico on Aug. 30. Zuniga had a season-high two shot attempts at Oregon State on Oct. 4.

**HIGH SCHOOL/CLUB:** A four-year letterwinner, Zuniga truly shined during her sophomore season tallying 21 goals and eight assists. She led her team to its second consecutive North Coast Section championship and conference championship. Her performance earned her First-team All-League honors. She did not play during her freshman season and suffered a torn ACL her junior year. She has been a part of six Olympic Development Camps or national teams. In May 2011, she was a member of the U-15 NT Camp and returned to the same program later that summer. Zuniga also played on two ODP teams in 2012, Region IV and Thanksgiving Interregional. Most recently, in 2013, she was a member of the U-18 NT Player Pool and Region IV ODP. As a member of the Bay Daks Botafogo club team, she played with fellow Colorado commits Erin Greening and Brooklyn Varnadore. During her time with Botafogo, the team boasted a 155-46-27 record as she helped her club win back-to-back CYSA State Championships (2012-13).

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Zuniga is majoring in communications with a minor in Spanish.

**PERSONAL:** Stephanie Marie Zuniga-Herrera was born on September 30, 1996 to Mario and Carmen Zuniga in San Francisco, Calif. She has one older brother, Michael. In her spare time, Zuniga likes to listen to music, play basketball and hike. With her degree, Zuniga hopes to be in a field where she could help families and others through social services. She extensively volunteered to teaching the game of soccer to children and helping the less fortunate. Zuniga is bilingual and the first member of her family to attend a four-year university. Colorado was Zuniga's choice because of the great academics, beautiful campus and coaching staff.



Forward

5-foot-1

Junior

Pinole, Calif.

Bishop  
O'Dowd H.S.

Communications  
Major



SEASON	GP	GS	G	A	Pts	Shots	Shot%	SOG	SOG%	GW	PK-Att
2015	15	0	1	0	2	6	.167	3	.500	0	0-0
2016	22	0	1	6	8	15	.067	7	.467	0	0-0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>.095</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>.476</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0-0</b>

**SINGLE-GAME HIGHS [all-time ranking]:**

Points: 2, New Mexico -- Aug 30, 2015 ; Drexel -- Sep 04, 2016

Goals: 1, New Mexico -- Aug 30, 2015 ; Drexel -- Sep 04, 2016

Assists: 1, 6 times

Shots: 3, Utah -- Nov 04, 2016

## PLAYERS

# 23 TATUM BARTON



Forward

5-foot-6

Sophomore

Littleton, Colo.

Texas Tech

**FRESHMAN (2016 AT TEXAS TECH):** Barton appeared in 18 matches for Texas Tech and started nine times as a true freshman. She was on the field for a total of 798 minutes and totaled 20 shot attempts, including seven on goal. Her season high of five shot attempts came on Oct. 21 at Texas.

**CLUB TEAM:** Barton played for Real Colorado for coach Lorne Donaldson. With Real, she won two State Cup championship, reached the ECNL finals twice and the ECNL finals in 2013. She was also a regional Olympic Development Program selection.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Barton graduated from Columbine High School in 2016, where she lettered in soccer four years for coach Brian Todd. She was named first-team all-state each of her final three years and was the Colorado state and Class 5A player of the year as a sophomore. Barton scored 29 goals as a senior to lead Columbine to the state semifinals, 15 goals as a junior on a state quarterfinals team, and 28 goals as a sophomore en route to the state championship. The 2014 Class 5A state championship was the first girls state championship at Columbine in any sport in 41 years.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** She plans on majoring in business administration and would like to work in a law profession in sports after graduation.

**PERSONAL:** Tatum Brooke Barton was born on Nov. 7, 1997, in Colorado Springs to Brian and Kelly Barton. Her older brother Taylor plays football at Colorado Mesa University and she has a younger sister Tessa. Her father also played college football.

# 3 JORIAN BAUCOM



Forward

5-foot-9

Senior

Scottsdale, Ariz.

LSU

**JUNIOR (2016 AT LSU):** She led the Tigers with 10 goals and 21 points, adding one assist on the season, while playing in all 19 games. She had a hat trick in a 4-0 win over Lamar on Sept. 18 and had a pair of two-goal games in wins over Indiana and Ole Miss. Baucom also scored goals against Colgate, Butler and Mississippi State, and had an assist against Auburn. She had four of the team's seven game-winning goals as well and ranked sixth in the SEC in goals.

**SOPHOMORE (2015 AT LSU):** She was named first-team all-SEC and NSCAA first-team all-South Region, finishing 15th in the nation with 15 goals scored, second in the SEC. The Louisiana Sports Writers Association selected her as Louisiana Collegiate Player of the Year. Her 15 goals were the second-most in a season in LSU history. Baucom had five game-winning goals and she scored six times in conference play. She had two-goal games against Kentucky, Indiana and Marquette. Baucom was key to LSU's NCAA Tournament run throughout the year with game-winning goals against Oregon, Minnesota, No. 15 Duke, Arkansas and Kentucky (her two-goal game). She also scored against Ball State, Western Kentucky, Alabama, No. 13 Auburn and No. 17 South Carolina during the regular season. For the year, she had 69 shot attempts and converted 4-of-6 penalty kicks.

**FRESHMAN (2014 AT LSU):** Baucom was selected to the SEC All-Freshman Team by the coaches and was SEC Freshman of the Year and second-team all-SEC by College Sports Madness, while being named the No. 11 freshman in the country by Top Drawer Soccer. She appeared in 20 games and started 17, scoring eight goals and adding four assists. She scored goals against Troy, just 48 seconds into her collegiate career, Northwestern State, BYU, Nicholls, Missouri, Arkansas, Alabama and Tennessee. She also had assists against Northwestern State, BYU, Mississippi State and No. 6 Texas A&M. She finished the season with 51 shot attempts.

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE:** Baucom has experience in national team camps with the U.S. U-15, U-16, U-19 and U-20 national teams. She was also part of the player pools for U-14, U-17 and U-18 teams.

**OLYMPIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM:** She was a veteran of the Region IV ODP and competed at the Interregional Tournament of her age group.

**CLUB TEAM:** Baucom played for SC del Sol from 2012-14 and was the ECNL Golden Boot winner at the U-17 level, scoring 23 goals in ECNL events during the 2012-13 season. She was named to four all-event teams between 2011 and 2013, including San Diego (twice), Phoenix and San Antonio. She also played club soccer for Sereno Soccer Club from 2005-12.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** She graduated from Pinnacle High School in 2014 after earning four letters. She was rated as a five-star recruit and the No. 13-ranked player coming out of high school in 2014 by Top Drawer Soccer, including the No. 3-rated forward. She scored a hat trick to lead Pinnacle to a state championship as a freshman and also won a championship again as a senior and was a four-time all-state honoree. In 2013 she was invited to the Nike "The Chance" Top 100 national camp in Beaverton, Ore. She was an honor student at Pinnacle, was a member of the Society of Women Scholars and the National Honor Society as well.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** She is majoring in mass communication at CU. She earned SEC Academic Honor Roll each year at LSU. After graduation, she would like to become a broadcaster for ESPN or Fox Sports.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Jorian Nicole Baucom on Aug. 4, 1996 to Michael and Renell Baucom. She is an only child and lists sleeping and playing video games as her hobbies. In her spare time, she volunteers for Kids Hops to teach young children with disabilities as well as play with them. Back in Arizona, she has volunteered with St. Vincent De Paul and served food to the homeless. At LSU, she did volunteer work after the flooding in Louisiana. Baucom owns a German Shepherd named Koda that she rescued and she has played soccer since she was four years old. She chose CU because the campus is "absolutely beautiful. It seems like the perfect college environment to be in. Plus, the athletic facilities and academics are top-notch."

## PLAYERS

# 6 HANNAH CARDENAS



Defender

5-foot-7

Freshman

Placentia, Calif.

El Dorado H.S.

**OLYMPIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM:** Cardenas was a 2015 and 2016 Player Development Program invite for SoCal Camp. She was also invited to ECNL/id2 national training camp.

**CLUB TEAM:** She played for Slammers FC ECNL for coach Ziad Khoury, helping the team reach the ECNL national semifinals. Her team was also ranked No. 1 in ECNL for much of 2015 and 2016. Her team won the 2014 Cordial Cup championship in Austria.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Cardenas is a four-year starter at El Dorado High School for coach Kyle Thomas, where she is in her senior season. As a junior, she was named all-CIF Southern Section and all-North Hills League, as well as to the Top Drawer Soccer California State All-Star Team. She was also a first-team all-league player as a freshman. In 2016, she led her team to the league championship and helped it reach the CIF Southern Section semifinals and the CIF State Regional semifinals. Academically, she is a Distinguished Scholar and a member of the National Society of High School Scholars.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** She is planning on majoring in integrative physiology and is also interested in biology. She would like to pursue a career as a physician's assistant after graduation.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Hannah Lauren Cardenas on July 21, 1999 to Michael and Esther Cardenas. She has two brothers Matthew and Ryan, who is a junior in college after serving as a combat medic for the U.S. Army. In her spare time, she enjoys hiking, going to the beach, drawing, painting and spending time with her family. She also volunteers at Cory's Kitchen, an organization that provides emergency food to families in need and is Sunday School teacher at Calvary Chapel. Cardenas chose CU because of the "strong academics as well as the beautiful campus and the ability to compete in the Pac-12 Conference. I'm really excited to play for an elite program. The minute I stepped on campus and met the coaching staff, I knew CU was the perfect fit for me."

# 7 LIBBY GERAGHTY



Forward

5-foot-6

Freshman

Greenwood  
Village, Colo.

Cherry Creek H.S.

**OLYMPIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM:** Geraghty was on the state ODP team for U-11 and U-12 and attended regional camps.

**CLUB TEAM:** She played for Colorado Storm in Centennial, Colo., for coach Dave Kunitz. Her team won the state cup at the U-11 level and was the ECNL top Colorado team each year from U-13 to U-17. Storm was ranked No. 4 in the country at U-11 and No. 6 at U-17, reaching the ECNL playoffs for U-14 to U-17 and were in the top eight at nationals in U-14 and U-17. In 2016 she was the Colorado Storm High School Female Player of the Year. Geraghty is the 60th ranked player in the 2017 Top 150 by Top Drawer Soccer, including the 25th rated forward. She has been playing with the Colorado Storm since she was four years old.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Geraghty will be a four-year letterwinner when she completes her senior season this spring for coach Jim Schneider. In her first three seasons she has been a three-time first-team all-league performer and was named second-team all-state as a junior. She was also named academic all-state as a junior and finish her career as a two-year team captain.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** She plans to major in integrated physiology and is also interested in biology and other sciences. She would like to become a doctor after graduation.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Elisabeth Hardin Geraghty to Steve and Jen Geraghty on Aug. 28, 1998. Her older brother Mick recently graduated from CU a semester early from the Leeds School of Business and plans to start his MBA. Her mother played soccer at Colorado College for four years and played in the national championship in 1986. Geraghty enjoys hiking and being outside and volunteers as a tutor at Holly Hills Elementary. She has grown up with a lot of pets, including a pig, birds, bunnies and a tortoise, and she has five dogs, a cat and five pet chickens. She chose CU because it is a part of the Pac-12 and she "enjoyed the overall attitude and the coaching style of the team," and wants to "be a part of and make an impact for this nationally-ranked program. And in addition, Boulder is such a great place to live and the university is one of the best in the country."

## PLAYERS

# 12 JORDAN GOODWIN



Midfielder

5-foot-4

Freshman

Broomfield, Colo.

Broomfield H.S.

**OLYMPIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM:** She is a member of Colorado's ODP program.

**CLUB TEAM:** Goodwin plays for FC Boulder and won the U.S. club national championship in July 2016. She was a team captain for two years.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Goodwin will be a four-year letterwinner in soccer at Broomfield High School for coach Jim Davidson, where she will play her senior season in the spring of 2017. She led the team to runner-up finishes at the state tournament as a freshman and sophomore, and the semifinals as a junior. In her three seasons as a starter, she has 14 goals and 17 assists. An excellent student, she was named academic all-state each of her first three years. She also lettered in softball as a centerfielder and won club state softball championships with Colorado Stars '99 in 2012, 2013 and 2014.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Goodwin plans to major in business and is also interested in communications. She believes business will offer her a well-rounded education.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Jordan Taylor Goodwin on April 21, 1999 to Scott and Kim Goodwin in Denver. She is an only child. Goodwin volunteers with Circle of Friends, a disabled-student program. She chose CU because it was her favorite school growing up.

# 17 KATIE JOELLA



Forward

5-foot-4

Freshman

Highlands  
Ranch, Colo.

Mountain Vista H.S.

**OLYMPIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM:** Joella was a member of the 2012 ODP state travel team.

**CLUB TEAM:** Joella played for Real Colorado in Centennial, Colo., for coach Lorne Donaldson. Real Colorado was ranked as the No. 6 club in the country and all of its ECNL teams reached the playoffs and/or national championships in 2016.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Joella will play her senior season this spring at Mountain Vista High School for coach Theresa Echtemeyer. She led the team to the state finals as a junior, scoring 16 goals and adding three assists and has scored 30 goals in her first three seasons. She was a second-team all-state selection as a junior and has earned all-Continental League honors twice and led the conference in goals and points as a junior.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** She plans on majoring in education and is also interested in communications. She enjoys working with kids and may be interested in a career as a teacher or a coach.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Katie Lynn Joella on May 3, 1999 to Daniel and Karen Joella. She also has two younger sisters Hannah and Grace, who also play soccer. She enjoys music and fashion. In her spare time, she volunteers by coaching 4-5 year-olds through Real Colorado's "Cubbies" program and also coaches special needs kids through TOPS (The Outreach Program for Soccer). She has two cats and a Chihuahua and loves animals and shoes. She chose Colorado because it has "great coaches with a soccer program on the rise, unbelievable facilities, terrific admissions, and it's located in Boulder, the greatest city in the country. It just doesn't get any better."

## PLAYERS

# 26

# COURTNEY KAPLAN



Forward

5-foot-10

Sophomore

St. Louis, Mo.

South Carolina

**FRESHMAN (2015 AT SOUTH CAROLINA):** Kaplan played in 11 matches as a true freshman and scored one goal with four shot attempts. She scored her goal against Oklahoma on Aug. 23 in her second career match.

**CLUB TEAM:** She played for St. Louis Scott Gallagher Soccer Club and was attended ID2 camp for two years.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Kaplan graduated from Mary Institute and St. Louis Country Day School (MICDS) in 2015. She also lettered in basketball. She earned either first or second honors each year.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Kaplan is undecided on her major.

**PERSONAL:** Born Feb. 15, 1997, she is the daughter of Gary and Jody Kaplan. Her brothers Lex and Jonny both played baseball at Tulane. In her spare time, she enjoys skiing, cooking and watching movies, and also plays piano.

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# CAITLIN MCPHERSON



Goalkeeper

6-foot-0

Freshman

Greenwood  
Village, Colo.

Cherry Creek H.S.

**OLYMPIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM:** McPherson participated in U-13 to U-15 ODP and made the state ODP as well. She was also a regional holdover selection for U-14.

**CLUB TEAM:** She played for Colorado Storm ECNL '99 in Centennial, Colo., for coach Dave Kunitz. With Colorado Storm, she has been a league champion every year since 2011, State Cup champions in 2012 and State Cup runner-up in 2013.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** McPherson is in her senior season at Cherry Creek High School this spring where she played two years of varsity soccer. She has been on the honor roll throughout her career and lettered in tennis as a junior.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** McPherson plans on majoring in psychology and is also interested in political science and education. She would like to be a child life specialist and has a large interest in studying psychology.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Caitlin Marie McPherson on Oct. 20, 1998 to Doug and Kim McPherson. Her older brother Connor is a junior at CU. In her spare time, she enjoys playing tennis, drawing, swimming, riding bikes and hiking. McPherson has also been volunteering for five years at Brent's Place, a home for children battling cancer. She chose CU because of the "competitive training environment, drive to be the best, amazing campus, location, and academic support for athletes."

## PLAYERS

# 18 CASSIE PHILLIPS



Midfielder

5-foot-7

Junior

Hartland, Mich.

Maryland

**SOPHOMORE (2016 AT MARYLAND):** Phillips played in 16 games and started 12 times as a sophomore at midfielder. She scored a goal against Penn on Aug. 28 in a win off a 35-yard rocket. For the season, she attempted 13 shots.

**FRESHMAN (2015 AT MARYLAND):** She played in 18 games and made eight starts as a midfielder. Her 16 shot attempts were second-best on the team. She made her first career start against LaSalle on Aug. 30.

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE:** Phillips has been a part of several youth national team roster pools, including the U-18 team in 2013 and 2014, the U-15 team in 2011 and U-14 in 2010.

**OLYMPIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM:** She was selected to the ECNL national camp in 2013 and the 2013 '96 ODP National Team. She was also a member of the ODP regional team from 2010-12 and competed with Region II in 2011 in Costa Rica. Phillips was in ECNL/id2 from 2010-15 in Detroit.

**CLUB TEAM:** She helped Motor City FC win the U-20 national championship and also competed with Vardar (2014-15) and Michigan Hawks (2005-14).

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Phillips graduated from Hartland High School in 2015 and earned Summa Cum Laude honors. She was a four-star-rated player coming out of high school by Top Drawer Soccer. She lettered in track and cross country.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** She is majoring in broadcast journalism and media production because she loves writing, investigating, working with cameras and telling peoples' stories.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Cassandra Phillips to Anthony and Kimberly Phillips on Oct. 17, 1996 in Ann Arbor, Mich. Her older sister Kaylee plays soccer at Michigan State and she also has a younger brother Matt, who is committed to play college soccer, and a younger sister Sophie. Her father also played soccer at Michigan State. She selected CU because it is a "beautiful area, it had my programs of interest, and I really liked the coaches, facilities and could tell the team had great chemistry."

# 21 MARTINE PUKETAPU



Forward

5-foot-8

Freshman

Auckland,  
New Zealand

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE:** Puketapu has played for multiple New Zealand national teams, including most recently the U-20 National Team in 2016. In her time with the U-20 team, she has scored six goals and has 26 goals in her career in international competition with the U-17, U-18 and U-20 teams.

**CLUB TEAM:** Puketapu played for Three Kings United in Auckland. During the 2016 season, she led the league with 27 goals in 18 games. Three Kings United won the league championship as well.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** She graduated from Epsom Girls Grammar School in Auckland in Dec. 2015. She was voted Sportswoman of the Year at her high school as a junior.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** Puketapu plans on majoring in psychology and is also interested in sociology. She loves interacting with people so she says sociology would help her learn more about the behaviors of people.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Martine Puketapu on Sept. 16, 1997 to Jim Puketapu and Barbara Leyland. She has an older brother Reuben. She chose Colorado because "the support and facilities available are to the highest level I have seen compared to any other university and I have a strong belief that I can become a stronger, fitter and better player being here. I had a gut feeling that I will build myself significantly not only as a player, but a person also. The location of the university also reminds me of home and to have that whilst traveling is a real privilege."

# 14 BECCA RASMUSSEN



Midfielder

5-foot-4

Senior

Golden, Colo.

Georgia

**JUNIOR (2016 AT GEORGIA):** Rasmussen played and started 16 games at midfield for the Bulldogs and logged 1,180 minutes on the field. After missing the first two games of the season, she returned to start the rest of the games and scored one goal and attempted 16 shots. Her lone goal came in a win over LSU.

**SOPHOMORE (2015 AT GEORGIA):** She was selected as Georgia's Offensive Player of the Year, appearing in all 18 games and starting 15 times. She totaled 1,224 minutes on the field and scored one goal and had two assists, while finishing the year with 18 shot attempts. She scored her first career goal against LSU and had two assists against Vanderbilt.

**FRESHMAN (2014 AT GEORGIA):** Rasmussen played in 18 of 20 games and started 14 times to finish the year with 930 minutes played. She came in with high expectations after being selected to the Preseason SEC Watch List and lived up to those expectations with two assists and finished the season as the No. 98 freshman in the nation by Top Drawer Soccer. She enrolled early at Georgia in the spring of 2013.

**INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE:** Rasmussen was a part of United States National Team camps at the U-14, U-15, U-17, U-18 and U-20 levels. She was in the U-17 National Development camp and was then called up to the U-18 camp twice in 2014, as well as an appearance in camp with the U-20 team in 2014.

**OLYMPIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM:** She was a member of the State ODP (2009-12), Region IV ODP (2009-13) and played in Region IV tournaments (2010-13). She also earned MVP of the Costa Rica Tournament in 2013 after a three-game tournament.

**CLUB TEAM:** Rasmussen played for Colorado Rush in Littleton, Colo., and played in the Manchester United Premier Cup in 2010 and the Gothia Cup in Gothenberg, Sweden in 2010. She was an NSCAA Youth Girls All-American in 2013. In 2013 and 2014, she competed with the Colorado Rush in the W-League.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Rasmussen graduated from Dakota Ridge High School in Dec. 2013. She was ranked as the No. 31 player in the country coming out of high school by Top Drawer Soccer, but did not play high school soccer due to her club team commitments. She did, however, letter in track as a sprints and middle-distance runner.

**IN THE CLASSROOM:** She is majoring in neuroscience at Colorado and is also interested in medicine and nutrition. She enjoys science and learning about the brain. At Georgia, she earned Academic SEC Honor Roll in 2014, 2015 and 2016. After graduation, she plans on attending medical school and possibly playing professional soccer.

**PERSONAL:** She was born Rebecca Rasmussen on Jan. 1, 1996 to Steve and Lisa Rasmussen. Her older sister Rachel is a CU graduate and her older brother Charles is a senior at CU. Outside of soccer, she enjoys skiing, hiking, camping and horseback riding. She volunteers with horse rescues at Michelle Akers Farm and owns horses herself.