

# MICHIGAN STATE

## VOLLEYBALL

### 2024 VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

#### AUGUST

Fri.	30	at Northern Colorado.....	L, 3-1
Sat.	31	at (RV) Colorado State.....	W, 3-1

#### SEPTEMBER

Sun.	1	vs. #11 Florida.....	L, 3-0
Fri.	6	(RV) WESTERN KENTUCKY#.....	W, 3-1
Sat.	7	MARIST#.....	W, 3-0
Sun.	8	LOYOLA (CHICAGO)#.....	W, 3-1
Wed.	11	WESTERN MICHIGAN.....	L, 3-0
Mon.	16	at Eastern Michigan.....	W, 3-0
Tues.	17	PURDUE FORT WAYNE.....	W, 3-1
Fri.	20	at Duke.....	W, 3-2
Sun.	22	at North Carolina.....	L, 3-1
Fri.	27	at Michigan*.....	L, 3-0
Sun.	29	at #4 Penn State*.....	L, 3-1

#### OCTOBER

Fri.	4	at Indiana*.....	7 PM
Sun.	6	at #10 Purdue*.....	7:30 PM
Fri.	11	PENN STATE*.....	7 PM
Sat.	12	ILLINOIS*.....	4 PM
Fri.	18	NEBRASKA*.....	6 PM
Sun.	20	WASHINGTON*.....	1 PM
Thurs.	24	at USC*.....	11 PM ET
Sat.	26	at UCLA*.....	7 PM ET

#### NOVEMBER

Fri.	1	MINNESOTA*.....	6 PM
Sun.	3	OHIO STATE*.....	12 PM
Thurs.	7	at Maryland*.....	8 PM
Fri.	8	at Rutgers*.....	7 PM
Fri.	15	MICHIGAN*.....	6 PM
Sun.	17	at Iowa*.....	3 PM ET
Thurs.	21	OREGON*.....	6 PM
Sat.	23	MARYLAND*.....	1 PM
Wed.	27	NORTHWESTERN*.....	6 PM
Sat.	30	at Wisconsin*.....	9 PM ET

\* - Big Ten Conference Game

# - Kathy DeBoer Invitational (East Lansing, Mich.)

#### MATCH

# 14

### INDIANA

Friday, October 4  
7:00 P.M. | Bloomington, Ind.



#### MATCH

# 15

### #10 PURDUE

Sunday, October 6  
7:30 P.M. | West Lafayette, Ind.



### TALE OF THE TAPE

#### MICHIGAN STATE

7-6, 0-2 BIG

13.0

.229

.228

11.8

1.4

2.5

13.0

Record

Kills (per set)

Attack Percentage

Opp. Attack Percentage

Assists (per set)

Aces (per set)

Blocks (per set)

Digs (per set)

#### INDIANA

7-5, 0-2 BIG

12.6

.234

.220

11.8

1.8

2.1

11.6

#### #10 PURDUE

10-3, 1-1 BIG

13.8

.278

.200

12.8

1.5

2.9

14.8

### A FULL ROTATION - WHAT TO KNOW ABOUT MSU VOLLEYBALL...

#### Series History

##### Indiana

- Michigan State is 53-35 all-time against the Hoosiers and 19-20 when meeting Indiana on the road. MSU last defeated IU in Bloomington on November 25, 2017, a 3-1 win.

- Then No. 10-ranked MSU's last win in Bloomington was highlighted by a 16 kill, 10 dig performance from Autumn Bailey, 13 kills from Brooke Kranda and 12 kills/10 digs out of Holly Toliver.

- Indiana has taken four straight from the Spartans over the last three seasons, with MSU last defeating the Hoosiers on November 30, 2019 in East Lansing.

##### #10 Purdue

- Michigan State is 33-58 all-time against the Boilermakers and 13-28 when meeting Purdue in West Lafayette. MSU last defeated Purdue on the road, 3-2, on October 20, 2021.

- Purdue has won three consecutive meetings since the Spartans were victorious in 2021. The upset over then No. 7-ranked Purdue was highlighted by a 28 assist, 10 dig, two ace performance by current Spartan setter Julia Bishop.

- That victory was the 300th career head coaching victory of former Spartan Head Coach Cathy George.

#### Spartans Open BIG Play

- Michigan State opened Big Ten conference play last weekend taking on Michigan and then No. 4-ranked Penn State on the road.
- The Spartans were defeated 3-0 by Michigan in Ann Arbor on Friday night before falling to Penn State 3-1 on Sunday night in Happy Valley.
- MSU took set one off of the Nittany Lions and kept things close in sets three (25-21) and four (25-23).
- Junior outside hitter Taylor Preston had a season-best performance against Penn State last Sunday turning in a season-high 18 kills on .317 hitting alongside seven digs and two blocks.

#### In The BIG Rankings

- Nalani Iosia is #2 in digs/set in the BIG at 4.26.
- Evie Doezema ranks #7 among BIG players in hitting percentage this season hitting .381 through 13 matches (41 sets).
- Zuzanna Kulig ranks #4 in the BIG in blocks thus far at 1.40 blocks/set.
- Kulig's .371 hitting ranks #9 in the BIG this season.
- Taylor Prestons ranks #9 in the BIG in kills per set through the first weekend of conference play at 3.57 in two BIG matches.

# 2024 MICHIGAN STATE VOLLEYBALL ROSTER

#	Name	Pronouns	Pos.	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown / High School / Last School
1	Nalani Iosia (nuh-LAW-knee / yo-SEE-uh)	she/her	DS/L	5-8	5th	Long Beach, Calif. / Redondo Union / Texas
2	Karolina Staniszewska (care-oh-LEE-nuh / stanis-SHEF-ska)	she/her	OH	6-0	So.	Warsaw, Poland / Niepubliczna Szkoła Sportowa w Mielcu
3	Akasha Anderson (uh-KAH-shuh)	she/her	OH	6-3	Jr.	Reston, Va. / Herndon / Auburn
4	Danyle Courtley (DANIELLE / COURT-lee)	she/her	OH	6-1	Gr.	Katy, Texas / Cinco Ranch / Rice
5	Ky Clayton (KYE)	she/her	DS/L	5-6	So.	Lee's Summit, Mo. / Lee's Summit HS
6	Nil Okur (KNEEL / oh-KOOR)	she/her	MB	6-1	Jr.	Istanbul, Turkey / Ozel Sezin Okullari
7	Taylor Preston	she/her	OH	6-2	Jr.	Union, Ky. / St. Henry District / Oklahoma
8	Mia Hood (ME-uh)	they/them	MB	6-6	Fr.	Roswell, Ga. / Homeschooled
9	Zuzanna Kulig (zoo-ZON-uh / KOOL-igg)	she/her	MB	6-4	So.	Chrzanów, Poland / Wyzsza Szkoła Lingwistyczna
10	Kayla Foley	she/her	DS/L	5-4	Fr.	Virginia Beach, Va. / First Colonial
11	Avery Horejsi (hor-AY-she)	she/her	DS/L	5-4	Sr.	White Lake, Mich. / Walled Lake Central / DePaul
12	Evie Doezeema (EHV-ee / DUE-zuh-muh)	she/her	MB	6-3	Jr.	Grand Rapids, Mich. / Grand Rapids Christian
13	Aliyah Moore (uh-LEE-uh)	she/her	Opp	5-9	Sr.	Surprise, Ariz. / Valley Vista / Illinois State
14	Taylah Holdem (TAY-luh / HOLD-um)	she/her	OH	6-2	So.	Christchurch, New Zealand / Burnside HS
16	Grace Kelly	she/her	OH	6-0	Sr.	Alexandria, Va. / Mount Vernon / Virginia Tech
18	Rachel Muisenga (MY-zing-uh)	she/her	S	6-1	Sr.	Wheaton, Ill. / Benet Academy / Penn State
21	Kaya Hood (KYE-uh)	she/her	MB	6-5	Sr.	Roswell, Ga. / Blessed Trinity Catholic / Samford
22	Carmen Waye	she/her	MB	6-2	Fr.	Halifax, Nova Scotia / Citadel
23	Cam Berger	she/they	S	5-11	So.	Eden Prairie, Minn. / Eden Prairie HS
25	Julia Bishop	she/her	S	5-11	Sr.	Dearborn, Mich. / Mercy
33	Mya Bolton (MY-uh)	she/her	DS/L	5-4	Fr.	Shawnee, Kan. / St. James Academy

Head Coach .....Leah Johnson  
Alma Mater .....Missouri State '04  
Career Record:..... 221-189 (.539) 14th season  
Record at MSU: .....37-38 (.493), third season  
BIG Record .....13-29, third season  
Assistant Coach/Recruiting Coordinator.....Jake Barreau (buh-ROO), third season  
Assistant Coach .....Zheng Xiang (CHUNG SHAWN), second season  
Assistant Coach .....Maddie Beal, second season  
Technical Coordinator/Performance Analyst .....Shea Decker-Jacoby, third season  
Director of Operations .....Shane Wilkinson, fifth season  
Brand Ambassador .....Brittney Kimball, third season

## MSU AT A GLANCE

Location..... East Lansing, Mich.  
Founded.....1855  
Enrollment .....51,316  
President.....Kevin M. Guskiewicz  
Athletics Director..... Alan Haller  
Volleyball Administrator .....Julee Burgess  
Conference.....BIG  
Athletic Affiliation .....NCAA Division I  
Nickname / Colors.....Spartans / Green (PMS 567) and White  
Arena: .....Breslin Student Events Center (14,797)

## VOLLEYBALL HISTORY

First Year .....1972  
All-Time Record (Years).....907-800-18 (.531, 52 seasons)  
BIG Record (Years)..... 328-484 (.404, 43 seasons)

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2024 OVERALL STATISTICS

Game Records					
Overall	Conference	Home	Away	Neutral	
7 - 6	0 - 2	4 - 1	3 - 4	0 - 1	

Team Box Score		Attack						Set		Serve			Dig			Blocking						
##	Player	SP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SE	SA/S	RE	DIG	DIG/S	BS	BA	TOT/S	BLK/S	BE	BHE	PTS
1	Iosia, Nalani	47	6	0.13	2	12	.333	68	1.45	10	16	0.21	20	200	4.26	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	16.0
2	Staniszewska, Karolina	4	3	0.75	6	20	-.150	0	0.00	1	1	0.25	2	3	0.75	0	1	1	0.25	0	0	4.5
3	Anderson, Akasha	47	151	3.21	70	427	.190	9	0.19	11	19	0.23	13	80	1.70	2	25	27	0.57	1	0	176.5
4	Courtley, Danyle	13	23	1.77	7	61	.262	1	0.08	0	0	0.00	0	7	0.54	0	10	10	0.77	0	0	28.0
5	Clayton, Ky	10	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	1	0	0.10	0	3	0.30	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0
6	Okur, Nil	9	17	1.89	3	28	.500	0	0.00	0	1	0.00	0	6	0.67	1	11	12	1.33	0	0	23.5
7	Preston, Taylor	41	105	2.56	35	268	.261	3	0.07	6	5	0.15	7	42	1.02	1	20	21	0.51	1	0	122.0
8	Hood, Mia	1	1	1.00	0	1	1.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	1	1	1.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0
9	Kulig, Zuzanna	43	62	1.44	10	140	.371	6	0.14	10	10	0.23	0	18	0.42	9	51	60	1.40	4	0	106.5
12	Doezema, Evie	41	63	1.54	15	126	.381	4	0.10	0	1	0.00	0	8	0.20	3	34	37	0.90	1	0	83.0
13	Moore, Aliyah	43	63	1.47	27	183	.197	2	0.05	0	0	0.00	0	16	0.37	1	27	28	0.65	2	0	77.5
14	Holdem, Taylah	41	92	2.24	62	269	.112	9	0.22	9	25	0.22	7	64	1.56	0	12	12	0.29	3	0	107.0
16	Kelly, Grace	13	16	1.23	6	32	.313	1	0.08	0	0	0.00	0	1	0.08	0	3	3	0.23	0	0	17.5
18	Muisenga, Rachel	43	12	0.28	5	31	.226	230	5.35	6	15	0.14	0	71	1.65	0	3	3	0.07	0	0	19.5
21	Hood, Kaya	1	0	0.00	1	1	-1.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	1	1.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0
22	Waye, Carmen	3	2	0.67	0	4	.500	0	0.00	0	1	0.00	0	1	0.33	0	5	5	1.67	1	0	4.5
23	Berger, Cameron	3	0	0.00	0	1	.000	18	6.00	1	3	0.33	0	2	0.67	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0
25	Bishop, Julia	45	10	0.22	2	32	.250	211	4.69	7	10	0.16	0	85	1.89	0	1	1	0.02	1	0	17.5
33	Bolton, Mya	23	0	0.00	0	0	.000	2	0.09	3	7	0.13	6	14	0.61	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	3.0
MICHIGAN ST.		48	626	13.04	251	1636	.229	564	11.75	65	114	1.35	64	623	12.98	17	203	118.5	2.47	14	0	809.5
Opponents		48	606	12.63	242	1598	.228	574	11.96	64	123	1.33	65	640	13.33	18	168	102	2.13	12	0	772.0

Team statistics

	MSU	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	626	606
Errors	251	242
Total Attacks	1636	1598
Attack Pct	.229	.228
Kills/Set	13.04	12.63
SET		
Assists	564	574
Attempts	1653	1651
Assist Pct	.341	.348
Assists/Set	11.75	11.96
SERVE		
Aces	65	64
Errors	114	123
Attempts	1073	1055
Serve Pct	.894	.883
Aces/Set	1.35	1.33
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	64	65
Errors/Set	1.33	1.35
Attempts	932	959
Reception Pct	.931	.999
DEFENSE		
Digs	623	640
Digs/Set	12.98	13.33
BLOCKING		
Block solo	17	18
Block Assist	203	168
Total Blocks	118.5	102
Blocks/Set	2.47	2.13
Block Errors	14	12
Ball handling errors	0	0
ATTENDANCE		
Total	12363	17141
Dates/Avg Per Date	5/2473	7/2449
Neutral Site #/Avg	1/400	-
Current win streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Score-by-set	Att.
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	L	1-3	21-25,22-25,25-23,15-25	1862
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	W	3-1	25-21,20-25,25-23,25-23	3865
09/01/2024	vs Florida	L	0-3	24-26,18-25,17-25	400
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	W	3-1	25-15,25-17,23-25,25-23	3057
09/07/2024	Marist	W	3-0	25-10,25-13,25-14	2646
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	W	3-1	25-19,22-25,25-20,25-23	2074
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	L	0-3	17-25,21-25,21-25	2874
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	W	3-0	25-21,25-21,25-20	250
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	W	3-1	25-14,25-19,21-25,25-22	1712
09/20/2024	at Duke	W	3-2	25-22,25-21,20-25,21-25,15-10	631
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	L	1-3	18-25,25-16,23-25,20-25	989
* 09/27/2024	at Michigan	L	0-3	20-25,22-25,17-25	6939
* 09/29/2024	at Penn St.	L	1-3	25-23,17-25,21-25,23-25	2605

2024 BIG STATISTICS

Game Records

Overall	Conference	Home	Away	Neutral
0 - 2	0 - 2	0 - 0	0 - 2	0 - 0

Team Box Score

			Attack					Set		Serve				Dig		Blocking						
##	Player	SP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SE	SA/S	RE	DIG	DIG/S	BS	BA	TOT/S	BLK/S	BE	BHE	PTS
1	Iosia, Nalani	7	1	0.14	0	2	.500	6	0.86	3	1	0.43	3	23	3.29	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	4.0
3	Anderson, Akasha	7	23	3.29	15	68	.118	1	0.14	1	2	0.14	2	15	2.14	1	1	2	0.29	0	0	25.5
5	Clayton, Ky	3	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	2	0.67	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0
7	Preston, Taylor	7	25	3.57	8	66	.258	0	0.00	0	1	0.00	1	11	1.57	1	3	4	0.57	0	0	27.5
9	Kulig, Zuzanna	7	7	1.00	4	20	.150	1	0.14	0	2	0.00	0	2	0.29	0	6	6	0.86	2	0	10.0
12	Doezema, Evie	7	2	0.29	4	19	-.105	1	0.14	0	0	0.00	0	1	0.14	1	3	4	0.57	0	0	4.5
13	Moore, Aliyah	7	7	1.00	4	33	.091	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	1	0.14	0	3	3	0.43	0	0	8.5
14	Holdem, Taylah	7	7	1.00	7	27	.000	1	0.14	0	3	0.00	1	9	1.29	0	1	1	0.14	0	0	7.5
18	Muisenga, Rachel	3	0	0.00	0	1	.000	10	3.33	1	2	0.33	0	5	1.67	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0
25	Bishop, Julia	7	3	0.43	1	12	.167	49	7.00	1	2	0.14	0	18	2.57	0	1	1	0.14	1	0	4.5
33	Bolton, Mya	4	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	1	0.00	2	4	1.00	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0
MICHIGAN ST.		7	75	10.71	43	248	.129	69	9.86	6	14	0.86	9	91	13.00	3	18	12	1.71	3	0	93.0
Opponents		7	107	15.29	43	260	.246	100	14.29	9	19	1.29	6	113	16.14	1	38	20	2.86	0	0	136.0

Team statistics

	MSU	OPP
ATTACK		
Kills	75	107
Errors	43	43
Total Attacks	248	260
Attack Pct	.129	.246
Kills/Set	10.71	15.29
SET		
Assists	69	100
Attempts	241	256
Assist Pct	.286	.391
Assists/Set	9.86	14.29
SERVE		
Aces	6	9
Errors	14	19
Attempts	148	170
Serve Pct	.905	.888
Aces/Set	0.86	1.29
SERVE RECEPTIONS		
Errors	9	6
Errors/Set	1.29	0.86
Attempts	151	134
Reception Pct	.940	.994
DEFENSE		
Digs	91	113
Digs/Set	13.00	16.14
BLOCKING		
Block solo	3	1
Block Assist	18	38
Total Blocks	12	20
Blocks/Set	1.71	2.86
Block Errors	3	0
Ball handling errors	0	0
ATTENDANCE		
Total	0	9544
Dates/Avg Per Date	0/0	2/4772
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	-
Current win streak	0	-
Home win streak	0	-

Team Results

Date	Opponent		Score	Score-by-set	Att.
* 09/27/2024	at Michigan	L	0-3	20-25,22-25,17-25	6939
* 09/29/2024	at Penn St.	L	1-3	25-23,17-25,21-25,23-25	2605

## 2024 GAME-BY-GAME LEADERS

Date	Opponent	Result	Kills	Assists	Digs	Blocks
Aug. 30	at Northern Colorado	L, 3-1	Holdem (12)	Muisenga (16)	Iosia (7)	Kulig (7)
Aug. 31	at Colorado State (RV)	W, 3-1	Anderson (16)	Muisenga (20)	Holdem (9)	Kulig (6)
Sept. 1	vs. #11 Florida	L, 3-0	Anderson (10)	Bishop (15)	Iosia (13)	Doezema/Kulig (4)
Sept. 6	vs. Western Kentucky (RV)	W, 3-1	Anderson/Preston (14)	Muisenga (32)	Iosia (25)	Kulig (4)
Sept. 7	vs. Marist	W, 3-0	Anderson/Preston (8)	Bishop (11)	Iosia (13)	Doezema/Anderson (5)
Sept. 8	vs. Loyola Chicago	W, 3-1	Anderson (17)	Muisenga (31)	Iosia (18)	Kulig (6)
Sept. 11	vs. Western Michigan	L, 3-0	Preston (11)	Berger (13)	Iosia (17)	Okur (4)
Sept. 16	at Eastern Michigan	W, 3-0	Anderson (17)	Muisenga (20)	Bishop (12)	Anderson (4)
Sept. 17	vs. Purdue Fort Wayne	W, 3-1	Three with (14)	Muisenga (27)	Iosia (22)	Holdem/Kulig (4)
Sept. 20	at Duke	W, 3-2	Anderson (13)	Muisenga (28)	Iosia (25)	Kulig (11)
Sept. 22	at North Carolina	L, 3-1	Holdem (11)	Bishop (20)	Iosia (22)	Kulig (8)
Sept. 27	at Michigan	L, 3-0	Anderson (13)	Bishop (16)	Bishop (11)	Three with (2)
Sept. 29	at #3 Penn State	L, 3-1	Preston (18)	Bishop (33)	Iosia (14)	Kulig (4)

## STARTERS BY MATCH

Date	Opponent	Libero	MB	MB	OH	OH	DS/Opp/OH	S
Aug. 30	at Northern Colorado	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Holdem	Anderson	Moore	Bishop
Aug. 31	at Colorado State (RV)	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Holdem	Anderson	Courtley	Muisenga
Sept. 1	vs. #11 Florida	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Holdem	Anderson	Courtley	Muisenga
Sept. 6	vs. Western Kentucky (RV)	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Anderson	Preston	Courtley	Muisenga
Sept. 7	vs. Marist	Iosia	Doezema	K. Hood	Anderson	Preston	Moore	Muisenga
Sept. 8	vs. Loyola Chicago	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Anderson	Preston	Moore	Muisenga
Sept. 11	vs. Western Michigan	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Anderson	Preston	Moore	Muisenga
Sept. 16	at Eastern Michigan	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Anderson	Staniszewska	Preston	Bishop
Sept. 17	vs. Purdue Fort Wayne	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Anderson	Holdem	Moore	Muisenga
Sept. 20	at Duke	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Anderson	Holdem	Moore	Muisenga
Sept. 22	at North Carolina	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Anderson	Holdem	Moore	Muisenga
Sept. 27	at Michigan	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Anderson	Holdem	Moore	Muisenga
Sept. 29	at #4 Penn State	Iosia	Doezema	Kulig	Anderson	Preston	Moore	Bishop

## NOTES TO KNOW

### Doezema Does It All

- Junior middle blocker Evie Doezeema hit .467 in non-conference action.
- Doezeema is hitting .381 overall which ranks No. 7 in the BIG in hitting percentage among players averaging more than 3.00 attempts/set trailing Jackson (NEB), Trammell (PSU), Ofoegbu (ORE), Colvin (PUR), Nyambio (UM) and Hunt (UW).
- Doezeema started her career as a six-rotation outside as a freshman, before playing middle and settling in on right side during her sophomore campaign. Now a junior, Doezeema moved back inside and plays middle for the Spartans in 2024.
- Head Coach Leah Johnson has lauded Doezeema's willingness to do whatever it takes to help the team, and her drive to be the best at whatever position she is playing.

### Kulig As A Cucumber

- Throughout the non-conference schedule sophomore middle blocker Zuzanna Kulig inserted herself into the conversation as one of the best in the country.
- Kulig ranks No. 21 nationally and No. 4 in the BIG in blocks per set (1.40) and her .371 hitting percentage ranks No. 9 in the BIG
- Kulig's 57 total blocks rank No. 57 nationally and No. 5 in the BIG.
- Kulig also inserted herself among the most valuable servers in the country entering last weekend, ranking No. 10 in Expected Points Added via Chad Gordon (@ChadGordon09) with 8.3. Teams were passing just a 1.90 rating on 93 serves.
- Kulig was the only middle blocker to rank in the Top 10.

### Last One, Best One

- Fifth-year libero Nalani Iosia saved her best for last, averaging a career-high 4.26 digs per set. Her previous career-high was 4.16 set in 2023.
- If the season ended today, Iosia's 4.26 digs/set would rank No. 8 in the program history book for a single season.
- Against UNC on Sept. 22, Iosia moved into No. 10 in career digs at MSU and now has 1,150 in a Spartan jersey. Kelly Collister is No. 9 with 1,196.
- Iosia is second in the BIG in digs per set (Zeynep Palabiyik, 4.33) and is third in total digs (200) behind Joy Galles (Iowa, 225) and Palabiyik (208).

- Iosia entered the season ranked second in the BIG in career digs among active players with 1,504 (now 1,704).
- Iosia ranked fifth in the BIG last season in digs/set at 4.16.
- Iosia was an AVCA All-North Region honorable mention following the conclusion of the 2023 season, the first Spartan to earn a regional honor since 2017 and the first libero since 2014.
- Iosia's 483 digs last season ranked No. 8 all-time for a single season at MSU.
- Iosia twice tallied a career-best 27 digs in a match in 2023.

### Last Five Update

- Michigan State is 2-3 in its last five matches with wins over Purdue Fort Wayne (3-1) and Duke (3-2). The Spartans have lost three straight at North Carolina (3-1), Michigan (3-0) and Penn State (3-1).
- Junior outside hitter Akasha Anderson leads the team in kills over that stretch with 56 on 2.80 kills/set.
- Among outside hitters, junior Taylor Preston is hitting the most efficiently over that span at .275 on 2.65 kills/set and 53 kills.
- In the last five matches, MSU middle blockers Zuzanna Kulig (.368) and Evie Doezeema (.413) are both hitting efficiently.
- Kulig's 1.45 blocks/set (4 solo, 25 assisted) lead the team in the last five matches.
- Iosia has posted double-digit digs in four of the last five matches including three of 20+. Her 4.60 digs per set in that spans leads the team.

### 2023 In Review

- Michigan State went 17-14 overall and 9-11 in BIG action in 2023. MSU's 17 victories were the most by the program since 2018 and its nine conference wins were the most since 2017.
- When MSU upset No. 13-ranked Penn State on Oct. 28 it marked the first home ranked win for the Spartans since 2017 (3-1 over #7 Wisconsin). It snapped a 13-match losing streak to the Nittany Lions that dated back to 2013.

- Michigan State set new program bests in attendance last season with over 61,000 fans attending matches at the Breslin Center, ranking No. 6 nationally in cumulative home attendance with an average of 4,090 fans per match.
- Alongside Holdem, middle blocker Amani McArthur was named second team All-BIG in 2023. McArthur will play in Spain for Madrid Chamberi for 2024-25.
- 2023 marked the first time MSU had multiple players earn All-BIG honors since 2017 when four players garnered recognition.

### Other Spartan Notes

- On Sept. 17, 2024, Michigan State had four players register double-doubles in its 3-1 victory over Purdue Fort Wayne (Nalani Iosia, Taylah Holdem, Rachel Muisenga, Julia Bishop).
- It's the first time MSU has had four players finish with a double-double since Sept. 11, 2010 against Eastern Michigan at the Spartan Invitational (Jenilee Rathje, Megan Schatzle, Becca Zlabis, Natalie Emro).
- Julia Bishop and Nalani Iosia were named co-captains for the third consecutive season in 2024.
- They mark the fourth and fifth players in program history to be named three-time captains joining Nikki Colson (01-03), Katie Johnson (05-07) and Kori Moster (12-14).
- Michigan State is 27-17 all-time in the Breslin Center.
- Prior to moving to Breslin full-time in 2022, MSU played eight previous matches (6-2) in the Bres, with two in 1995 (vs. Indiana/Illinois), two in 2008 (vs. Ohio St./Michigan), one in 2009 (vs. Michigan) and three in 2010 (vs. Minnesota/Iowa/Michigan).
- MSU set a new program attendance record against Nebraska on Oct. 6, 2023 hosting 8,789 fans in the Breslin Center, breaking the previous mark on 7,326 set against Michigan on Oct. 14, 2022.
- It marked a new record for the highest attended volleyball match in the history of the state of Michigan, breaking the previous high of 8,543 set by Western Michigan in 1983 when they hosted Nebraska for the first round of the NCAA Tournament.

# THE SPARTANS IN 2024

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## PLAYER NOT A PIECE

- Since 2023, MSU volleyball is partnered with renowned mindset and peak performance coach Seth Makowsky, adding another wrinkle to the program's mental training regimen.
- Makowsky uses chess as a vehicle to help top performers throughout the world get better at what they do, with his client list including NFL quarterbacks, MVP baseball players, Olympians, Fortune 500 CEO's and NCAA champions.
- Makowsky's training is geared towards transforming how athletes think and make decisions in real time, helping the team make quicker decisions, implement game plan and in-game adjustments faster and communicate in match under pressure.

## SPARTANS MAKING AN IMPACT

- This season Michigan State volleyball has partnered with Team IMPACT, which matches collegiate sports teams with children facing serious illness or disability to create a long-term, life-changing experience for everyone involved.
- MSU is matched with Taytum, a nine-year-old from Mason, Mich. with down syndrome.
- Taytum will be around the Spartans all season long, attending games, practices and team events, making a significant impact on the program.

# AROUND THE LEAGUE

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## BIG IN THE RANKINGS

- Eight Big Ten teams are ranked in the Sept. 30, 2024 AVCA/TARAFLEX Coaches Poll.
- Nebraska remains at No. 2 in the polls this week followed by Penn State who jumped one spot to No. 3. Wisconsin fell two spots to No. 9 while Purdue remained at No. 10.
- BIG newcomer Oregon is ranked No. 11, while Minnesota moved up four spots to No. 12. USC fell one slot to No. 21 and Washington entered the poll at No. 25.

## THE LEAGUE

- The Big Ten officially welcomed USC, UCLA, Washington and Oregon into the conference on August 2nd, 2024.
- A record-setting 83 Big Ten volleyball matches will be televised nationally on Big Ten Network, FOX, NBC, FS1 and Peacock for the 2024 season. NBC will carry three nationally televised matches, the first time the network will air collegiate volleyball in its history. Big Ten Volleyball coverage is up nearly 30% from the previous record of 64 TV matches in 2023.
- In addition, more than 200 matches will be streamed exclusively on BIG+.
- Volleyball World will offer its international subscribers access to select Big Ten matches on VolleyballWorld.tv.

## WHO'S BACK?

- Michigan State returns 13 letterwinners from the 2023 season and loses just one starter to graduation.
- Key returners include fifth year libero Nalani Iosia, senior opposite Aliyah Moore, sophomore outside Taylah Holdem, senior setter Julia Bishop, junior middle blocker Evie Doezeema and sophomore middle blocker Zuzanna Kulig.
- Second Team All-BIG selection Amani McArthur was the lone starter to graduate.
- The Spartans return eight players that started in 10 or more matches last year, and four that started 20 or more out of a possible 31.
- Michigan State returns 85.3% of its kills (1,247/1,462), 98.5% of its assists (1,317/1,337) and 91.1% of its digs (1,422/1,561) from 2023.

## MSU ACTIVE IN TRANSFER PORTAL

- Michigan State has three transfer hitters on the team this season, with Akasha Anderson, Danyale Courtley and Taylor Preston bringing big game experience to the program.
- Anderson is a six-rotation outside from Auburn who was named All-SEC in 2022 along with earning 2022 AVCA South Region Freshman of the Year.
- Preston put down 354 kills for Oklahoma in 2023, averaging 3.56 points/set for the Sooners, a career high.

## BIG MEDIA DAYS 2023

- The BIG hosted its third annual BIG Volleyball Media Days on August 5-6 in Downtown Chicago. Michigan State was represented by Evie Doezeema, Taylor Preston and head coach Leah Johnson.
- The Big Ten remains the only conference to host an in-person volleyball media day.
- MSU was present on day one alongside student-athletes and coaches from Northwestern, Michigan, Illinois, Iowa, Maryland, Penn State, Rutgers, Wisconsin.

## BIG PRE-SEASON POLL

- Defending champion Nebraska was picked as the preseason favorite in the Big Ten, receiving 13 first-place votes.
- Merritt Beason, Lexi Rodriguez, Jess Mruzik were unanimous preseason All-BIG selections.
- Michigan State was picked to finish 12th of 18 in the preseason coaches poll, ahead of Washington, Maryland, Michigan, Northwestern, Rutgers and Iowa.

## THE LAST TIME ...

Won a match.....	at Duke, 9/20/24
Lost a match.....	at #4 Penn State, 9/29/24
Won at home.....	vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, 9/17/24
Lost at home.....	vs. Western Michigan, 9/11/24
Won on the road.....	at Duke, 9/20/24
Lost on the road.....	at #4 Penn State, 9/29/24
Won 3-0.....	at Eastern Michigan, 9/16/24
Lost 3-0.....	at Michigan, 9/27/24
Won 3-0 at home.....	vs. Marist, 9/7/24
Lost 3-0 at home.....	vs. Western Michigan, 9/11/24
Won 3-0 on the road.....	at Eastern Michigan, 9/16/24
Lost 3-0 on the road.....	at Michigan, 9/27/24
Won in four sets.....	vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, 9/17/24
Lost in four sets.....	at #4 Penn State, 9/29/24
Won in five sets.....	at Duke, 9/20/24
Lost in five sets.....	vs. Northwestern, 10/7/2023

Beat a BIG team.....	at Rutgers, 11/18/23
Lost to a BIG team.....	at #4 Penn State, 9/29/24
Beat a BIG team 3-0.....	vs. Iowa, 11/4/23
Lost to a BIG team 3-0.....	at Michigan, 9/27/24
Beat a BIG team at home.....	vs. Iowa, 11/4/23
Lost to a BIG team at home.....	vs. #13 Purdue, 11/25/23
Beat a BIG team on the road.....	at Rutgers, 11/18/23
Lost to a BIG team on the road.....	at #4 Penn State, 9/29/24
Beat a non-conference team.....	at Duke, 9/20/24
Lost to a non-conference team.....	at North Carolina, 9/22/24
Beat a non-conference team at home.....	vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, 9/17/24
Lost to a non-conference team at home.....	vs. Western Michigan, 9/11/24
Beat a non-conference team on the road.....	at Duke, 9/20/24
Lost to a non-conference team on the road.....	at North Carolina, 9/22/24
Beat a ranked team.....	vs. #13 Penn State, 10/28/23
Lost to a ranked team.....	at #4 Penn State, 9/29/24
Beat an unranked team.....	at Duke, 9/20/24
Lost to an unranked team.....	at Michigan, 9/27/24

## 2024 SITUATIONAL RECORDS

Category	Record
Overall.....	7-6
At Breslin Center.....	4-1
At Opponent.....	3-4
At a Neutral Site.....	0-1
On Television.....	0-0
While Ranked in Top 25.....	0-0
While Not Ranked in Top 25.....	7-6
Against Top-5 Teams.....	0-1
Against Teams ranked 6-10.....	0-0
Against Teams ranked 11-25.....	0-1
Against Teams Receiving Votes in AVCA Poll.....	2-0
Against Unranked Teams.....	5-4
Big Ten Matches.....	0-2
Non-Conference Matches.....	7-4
After a Win.....	4-3
After a Loss.....	3-2
<b>By Kills</b>	
Leading In Kills.....	6-0
Trailing In Kills.....	1-6
Tied In Kills.....	0-0
<b>By Blocks</b>	
Leading in Blocks.....	4-3
Trailing in Blocks.....	3-3
Tied in Blocks.....	0-0

<b>By Digs</b>	
Leading in Digs.....	6-0
Trailing in Digs.....	1-6
Tied in Digs.....	0-0
<b>By Service Aces</b>	
Leading in Service Aces.....	5-1
Trailing in Service Aces.....	2-5
Tied in Service Aces.....	0-0
<b>By Sets</b>	
In Three Sets.....	2-3
In Four Sets.....	4-3
In Five Sets.....	1-0
Winning the First Set.....	7-1
Losing the First Set.....	0-5
Winning the First Two Sets.....	5-0
Losing the First Two Sets.....	0-3
Tied After Two Sets.....	2-3
Leading After Three Sets.....	5-0
Trailing After Three Sets.....	0-3

<b>By Hitting Percentage</b>	
Leads In Hit Percentage.....	6-0
Trails In Hit Percentage.....	1-6
Tied In Hit Percentage.....	0-0
When MSU Hits .400 and Above.....	0-0
When MSU Hits .300 - .399.....	1-0
When MSU Hits .200 - .299.....	5-3
When MSU Hits .100 - .199.....	1-2
When MSU Hits .099 and below.....	0-1
<b>By Opponents' Hitting Percentage</b>	
When Opp. Hits .400 and Above.....	0-0
When Opp. Hits .300 - .399.....	0-2
When Opp. Hits .200 - .299.....	4-4
When Opp. Hits .100 - .199.....	2-0
When Opp. Hits .000-.099.....	0-0
When Opp. hits below .000.....	1-0
<b>By Day</b>	
On Monday.....	1-0
On Tuesday.....	1-0
On Wednesday.....	0-1
On Thursday.....	0-0
On Friday.....	2-2
On Saturday.....	2-0
On Sunday.....	1-3
In August.....	1-1
In September.....	6-5
In October.....	0-0
In November.....	0-0

2024 MICHIGAN STATE MATCH-BY-MATCH STATISTICS

			Attack				Set			Serve				Recept				Blocking							
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	SCORE	
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	4	42	23	122	.156	37	135	.274	5	11	84	.869	8	85	.906	35	3	16	0	11.0	0	58.0	1-3	
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	4	52	26	132	.197	45	133	.338	11	10	94	.894	4	84	.952	34	2	16	2	10.0	0	73.0	3-1	
09/01/2024	vs Florida	3	37	16	102	.206	29	100	.290	3	6	60	.900	5	68	.926	31	0	17	2	8.5	0	48.5	0-3	
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	4	62	19	145	.297	54	145	.372	5	10	97	.897	4	70	.943	58	0	16	0	8.0	0	75.0	3-1	
09/07/2024	Marist	3	33	7	68	.382	32	69	.464	12	7	73	.904	6	32	.813	28	0	18	1	9.0	0	54.0	3-0	
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	4	59	22	141	.262	53	139	.381	7	13	96	.865	6	74	.919	49	1	20	1	11.0	0	77.0	3-1	
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	3	37	14	114	.202	31	115	.270	5	10	60	.833	4	69	.942	42	0	14	2	7.0	0	49.0	0-3	
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	3	50	22	109	.257	48	117	.410	4	5	73	.932	1	57	.982	52	1	10	1	6.0	0	60.0	3-0	
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	4	71	23	170	.282	66	170	.388	1	9	95	.905	5	75	.933	84	1	14	0	8.0	0	80.0	3-1	
09/20/2024	at Duke	5	56	19	138	.268	53	144	.368	5	8	106	.925	8	86	.907	61	5	22	1	16.0	0	77.0	3-2	
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	4	52	17	147	.238	47	145	.324	1	11	87	.874	4	81	.951	58	1	22	1	12.0	0	65.0	1-3	
09/27/2024	at Michigan	3	33	25	112	.071	30	108	.278	3	7	61	.885	4	63	.937	44	2	6	1	5.0	0	41.0	0-3	
09/29/2024	at Penn St.	4	42	18	136	.176	39	133	.293	3	7	87	.920	5	88	.943	47	1	12	2	7.0	0	52.0	1-3	
Totals		48	626	251	1636	.229	564	1653	.341	65	114	1073	.894	64	932	.931	623	17	203	14	118.5	0	809.5		
Opponents		48	606	242	1598	.228	574	1651	.348	64	123	1055	.883	65	959	.932	640	18	168	12	102.0	0	772.0		

Team Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set	Ball handling error per set	Reception errors per set
48	13.04	11.75	1.35	12.98	2.47	16.86	0.00	1.33

2024 OPPONENT MATCH-BY-MATCH STATISTICS

			Attack				Set			Serve				Recept					Blocking						
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	SCORE	
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	4	55	23	129	.248	50	137	.365	8	12	97	.876	5	73	.932	44	2	10	0	7.0	0	70.0	1-3	
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	4	48	19	104	.279	47	116	.405	4	9	93	.903	11	84	.869	45	1	24	0	13.0	0	65.0	3-1	
09/01/2024	vsFlorida	3	47	12	97	.361	44	96	.458	5	7	75	.907	3	54	.944	43	1	16	1	9.0	0	61.0	0-3	
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	4	46	18	139	.201	43	149	.289	4	11	81	.864	5	87	.943	54	1	12	0	7.0	0	57.0	3-1	
09/07/2024	Marist	3	16	22	71	-.085	16	74	.216	6	7	39	.821	12	66	.818	21	0	0	0	0.0	0	22.0	3-0	
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	4	43	17	117	.222	42	121	.347	6	14	88	.841	7	83	.916	44	4	18	3	13.0	0	62.0	3-1	
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	3	45	12	108	.306	45	115	.391	4	5	74	.932	5	50	.900	52	0	6	0	3.0	0	52.0	0-3	
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	3	33	14	108	.176	29	108	.269	1	7	64	.891	4	68	.941	31	2	14	2	9.0	0	43.0	3-0	
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	4	42	18	153	.157	40	159	.252	5	6	81	.926	1	86	.988	66	4	6	1	7.0	0	54.0	3-1	
09/20/2024	at Duke	5	67	26	167	.246	63	167	.377	8	17	103	.835	5	98	.949	59	0	12	2	6.0	0	81.0	3-2	
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	4	57	18	145	.269	55	153	.359	4	9	90	.900	1	76	.987	68	2	12	3	8.0	0	69.0	1-3	
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09/29/2024	at Penn St.	4	68	30	154	.247	63	151	.417	5	9	97	.907	3	80	.963	66	1	16	0	9.0	0	82.0	1-3	
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Team Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set	Ball handling error per set	Reception errors per set
48	12.63	11.96	1.33	13.33	2.13	16.08	0.00	1.35



# HEAD COACH LEAH JOHNSON

Leah Johnson is entering her third season at the helm of the Michigan State volleyball program in 2024.

Johnson led the Spartans to 17 victories in 2023, the most by the MSU volleyball program since 2019. MSU's nine conference wins were the most since 2017. On October 28, 2023, Johnson and the Spartans defeated No. 13-ranked Penn State (3-2) which marked MSU's first home win over a nationally ranked opponent since 2017. Johnson coached a pair of All-BIG honorees in 2023 with senior middle blocker Amani McArthur and freshman outside hitter Taylah Holdem earning second team designations. Holdem was also named to the BIG All-Freshmen team. It was MSU's first season with multiple postseason award winners since 2017.

Michigan State set new program bests in attendance with over 61,000 fans attending matches at the Breslin Center, ranking No. 6 nationally in cumulative home attendance with an average of 4,090 fans per match. Michigan State's 8,789 fans against Nebraska on Oct. 6, 2023 set a new program record.

In her first season in East Lansing, Johnson led the Spartans to the most wins (13) by a first year head coach since Annelies Knoppers in 1974. The Spartans set a then all-time single-game attendance record in just her first season with 7,326 fans in attendance on Oct. 14, 2022. MSU broke the previous mark of 6,828 set in 2016.

Prior to becoming a Spartan, Johnson directed the Illinois State program from 2017-2021, guiding the Redbirds to a 104-53 record and five postseason appearances, including four straight NCAA Tournaments, marking the longest streak at ISU in nearly four decades (1982-85). Under Johnson's guidance, Illinois State finished in the top three in the Missouri Valley Conference all five seasons, including winning the regular-season conference championship in 2018 and 2020 (played in spring 2021). The Redbirds also won three straight MVC Tournament titles from 2019-2021.

With the youngest team in the MVC, Johnson led ISU to a 19-14 overall record in 2021, including a 13-5 conference mark to place second in the regular-season standings. In MVC action, the Redbirds won eight straight matches, including 17 straight sets. During the win streak, Johnson recorded her 100th victory as a Redbird – reaching the mark in just 150 matches. In the postseason, ISU defeated No. 1 seeded Loyola in five sets to capture a third straight MVC Tournament title, rallying from a 2-0 set deficit.

Johnson was named the 2021 AVCA North Region Coach of the Year. Her squad finished the season ranked in the Top 10 in the NCAA in total kills and total assists. Four different Redbirds were recognized with All-Conference honors, including three on the All-MVC First Team. Tamara Otene was named MVC Player of the Year, while Kaity Weimerskirch was named the Libero of the Year. Otene also earned all-region and AVCA All-America Honorable Mention honors, marking the third time a Redbird earned All-America honors under Johnson.

In 2020-21 Illinois State captured both the MVC regular-season and tournament titles. ISU went 16-6, including 11-3 in MVC action. The first of the three straight MVC Tournament titles came in 2019 as ISU became the first ever No. 3 seed to win the crown in the six-team format. In 2018, the Redbirds earned an at-large appearance in the NCAA Tournament, finishing the year with a 25-8 mark and capturing the regular-season MVC title. Johnson made an immediate impact as Illinois State's coach, leading her team to a 22-13 mark in 2017.

Individually, Redbird student-athletes excelled under Johnson's direction. In addition to Otene's All-America honors in 2021, Courtney Pence earned All-America accolades in 2017 and 2018. Five different Redbirds collected a total of eight AVCA All-Region honors over her five seasons, while 13 different players combined for 20 All-MVC honors, including 14 first-team honors. In the classroom, seven student-athletes combined for 11 appearances on the MVC Scholar Athlete First Team.

Prior to her stint at Illinois State, Johnson spent six seasons as head coach at SIU-Edwardsville where she was named the Ohio Valley Conference Coach of the Year in 2016 after leading the Cougars to the OVC tournament championship game. Johnson guided SIUE through its transition from Division II to Division I, directing the Cougars to a top 100 RPI finish in 2016.

Johnson was a standout student-athlete at Missouri State, serving as team captain and helping guide the Bears to four straight seasons with 20 or more wins. She excelled on the court, ranking among Missouri State's all-time and single-season digs leaders, and in the classroom, as she was named to the MVC Scholar-Athlete Team and served as a Student-Athlete Advisory Committee representative. In 2019 the Missouri State University volleyball program was inducted into the Missouri Sports Hall of Fame.

She holds two degrees from Missouri State, earning a bachelor's degree in 2004 and a master's degree in 2006.

Johnson is married to A.J. Weissler and the couple has three children, Edith, PJ and Roz.

## THE LEAH JOHNSON FILE

**BIRTHPLACE:** Fair Grove, Missouri

**ALMA MATER:** Missouri State '04 / '06

**INSTAGRAM:** @LeahJohnson\_VB

## EXPERIENCE

**ILLINOIS STATE:** Head Coach, 2017-21

**SIUE:** Head Coach, 2011-16

**NOTRE DAME:** Assistant Coach, 2010

**MISSOURI STATE:** Assistant Coach, 2008-09

**TEXAS-PAN AMERICAN:** Assistant Coach, 2007

## COACHING RECORD

**OVERALL:** 221-189 (.539, 14 seasons)

**AT MICHIGAN STATE:** 37-38 (.493, 3rd season)

## YEAR-BY-YEAR

SEASON	SCHOOL	RECORD/POSTSEASON
2011	SIUE	13-19 (8-12)
2012	SIUE	9-18 (5-11)
2013	SIUE	14-18 (8-8)
2014	SIUE	14-17 (6-10)
2015	SIUE	8-18 (6-10)
2016	SIUE	22-8 (13-3)
2017	ISU	22-13 (13-5)/NIVC
2018	ISU	25-8 (16-2)/NCAA Tournament
2019	ISU	22-12 (12-6)/NCAA Tournament
2020	ISU	16-6 (11-3)/NCAA Tournament
2021	ISU	19-14 (13-5)/NCAA Tournament
2022	MSU	13-18 (4-16)
2023	MSU	17-14 (9-11)
2024	MSU	7-6 (0-2)



# #1 | NALANI IOSIA

(SHE/HER)  
DS/L  
SENIOR  
LONG BEACH, CALIF. / REDONDO UNION HS / TEXAS  
MIZUNO LONG BEACH

## ABOUT NALANI

Three-Time Team Captain (2022, 2023, 2024) joining Nikki Colson (01-03), Katie Johnson (05-07), Kori Moster (12-14)

PRONUNCIATION: nuh-LAW-knee yo-SEE-uh

**SENIOR (2023):** AVCA All-Region Honorable Mention ... Academic All-District ... Academic All-BIG ... Invited to Women's National Team Open Program ... Named tournament MVP of the Kathy DeBoer Invitational ... Named BIG Defensive Player of the Week on 9/5, MSU's first since 2019 ... Team-high 483 kills ranked eighth in program history ... 4.16 digs/set ranked ninth by a Spartan ... Had 148 assists as an OOS setter ... 25 aces were second on the team.

**JUNIOR (2022):** Named tournament MVP of the Auto-Owners Insurance Spartan Invitational ... Played in 116 sets at libero recording a team-high 467 digs on 4.03 digs per set ... Also contributed 160 assists and 25 service aces to rank third on the team in both stats.

**PRIOR TO MSU:** At Texas, Big 12 All-Rookie team selection (2020) ... Starting libero/defensive specialist on Texas squads that reached NCAA championship match in Spring 2021 ... Led Texas in digs during sophomore season (313, 2021) and ranked second as a true freshman (Spring 2021).

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #1 IOSIA, Nalani

Date	Opponent	SP	Attack				Set			Serve				Recept			Blocking					Team			
			K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	3	0	1	2	.500	2	10	.200	0	2	5	.600	0	14	1.000	7	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.156	1-3
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	4	0	0	0	.000	4	14	.286	0	3	9	.667	1	30	.967	7	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.197	3-1
09/01/2024	vs Florida	3	0	0	0	.000	1	7	.143	0	1	8	.875	4	41	.902	13	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.206	0-3
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	4	0	1	2	.500	8	19	.421	0	4	11	.636	0	26	1.000	25	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.297	3-1
09/07/2024	Marist	3	2	0	2	1.000	4	8	.500	2	1	5	.800	4	21	.810	13	0	0	0	0.0	0	4.0	.382	3-0
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	4	0	0	0	.000	7	19	.368	1	1	11	.909	2	28	.929	18	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.262	3-1
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	3	1	0	1	1.000	4	13	.308	1	0	14	1.000	1	17	.941	17	0	0	0	0.0	0	2.0	.202	0-3
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	3	0	0	0	.000	8	25	.320	0	1	11	.909	0	10	1.000	8	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.257	3-0
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	4	0	0	0	.000	12	34	.353	1	1	12	.917	2	31	.935	22	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.282	3-1
09/20/2024	at Duke	5	1	0	2	.500	5	20	.250	2	0	20	1.000	2	36	.944	25	0	0	0	0.0	0	3.0	.268	3-2
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	4	1	0	1	1.000	7	20	.350	0	1	13	.923	1	31	.968	22	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.238	1-3
09/27/2024	at Michigan	3	1	0	1	1.000	2	22	.091	1	0	8	1.000	3	27	.889	9	0	0	0	0.0	0	2.0	.071	0-3
09/29/2024	at Penn St.	4	0	0	1	.000	4	17	.235	2	1	15	.933	0	16	1.000	14	0	0	0	0.0	0	2.0	.176	1-3
Totals		47	6	2	12	.333	68	228	.298	10	16	142	.887	20	328	.939	200	0	0	0	0.0	0	16.0		

Player Averages						
Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
47	0.13	1.45	0.21	4.26	0.00	0.34



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Digs:..... 25, 2x, last at Duke, Sept. 20  
Assists:..... 12, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17  
Aces:..... 2, vs. Marist, Sept. 7

### CAREER HIGHS

Assists:..... 13, vs. Iowa, Nov. 26, 2022  
Aces:..... 5, vs Texas Tech, Oct. 23, 2020  
Digs:..... 27, 2x, last at Iowa, Oct. 14, 2023

## CAREER STATISTICS

### IOSIA, Nalani

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2020-21	TX	95-29	0	0.00	2	9	-.222	80	0.84	25	0.26	48	241	2.54	18	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	25.0	0.26
2021-22	TX	98-29	4	0.04	3	19	.053	111	1.13	29	0.30	49	313	3.19	29	0	0	0	0.00	0	1	33.0	0.34
2022-23	MSU	116-31	9	0.08	2	26	.269	160	1.38	25	0.22	40	467	4.03	17	0	0	0	0.00	0	3	34.0	0.29
2023-24	MSU	116-31	1	0.01	3	24	-.083	148	1.28	25	0.22	38	483	4.16	37	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	26.0	0.22
2024-25	MSU	47-13	6	0.13	2	12	.333	68	1.45	10	0.21	16	200	4.26	20	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	16.0	0.34
TOTAL FOR MSU		279 - 75	16	0.06	7	62	.145	376	1.35	60	0.22	94	1150	4.12	74	0	0	0	0.00	0	3	76.0	0.27
TOTAL		472 - 133	20	0.04	12	90	.089	567	1.20	114	0.24	191	1704	3.61	121	0	0	0	0.00	0	4	134.0	0.28



# #2 | KAROLINA STANISZEWSKA

(SHE/HER)  
OUTSIDE HITTER  
SOPHOMORE  
WARSAW, POLAND  
ITA TOOLS STAL MIELEC

## ABOUT KAROLINA

**PRONUNCIATION:** care-oh-LEE-nuh stanis-SHEF-ska

**FRESHMAN (2023):** Played in 89 sets, making 26 appearances and 23 starts ... Posted 117 kills on 1.31 kills/set and 1.61 points/set ... Had 177 digs on 1.99 digs/set ... Played with the Polish U22 National Team over the summer entering her sophomore season.

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Played for ITA TOOLS Stal Mielec in the Polish 1 Liga under head coach Wieslaw Popik ... Named the best outside hitter at the 2022 U19 European Championships and was the best scorer and receiver at the 2022 U19 European Youth Summer Olympic Festival ... A team captain, Staniszevska helped the Polish team to third place finishes at both the European Championships and the European Youth Olympic Festival ... Helped her team to the 2021-22 Polish Junior Championship title, earning tournament MVP honors ... Named to the Red Bull Volleyball Wings program that supports up and coming volleyball talents.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #2 STANISZEWSKA, Karolina

		Attack				Set			Serve			Recept			Blocking					Team					
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	1	1.000	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.297	3-1
09/07/2024	Marist	1	0	0	1	.000	0	1	.000	0	1	1	.000	1	1	.000	2	0	1	0	1.0	0	0.5	.382	3-0
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	*2	3	6	19	-.158	0	2	.000	1	0	8	1.000	1	21	.952	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	4.0	.257	3-0
Totals		4	3	6	20	-.150	0	3	.000	1	1	9	.889	2	23	.913	3	0	1	0	1.0	0	4.5		

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
4	0.75	0.00	0.25	0.75	0.25	1.13



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: .....3, at Eastern Michigan, Sept. 16  
Digs: .....2, vs. Marist, Sept. 7  
Blocks:.....1, vs. Marist, Sept. 7

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills:.....16, vs. Tulsa, Aug. 26, 2023  
Digs: .....16, vs. Tulsa, Aug. 26, 2023  
Assists:.....4, at Iowa, Oct. 14, 2023  
Aces:.....3, 2x, last vs. Maryland, Nov. 3, 2023  
Blocks:.....3, 2x, last at Purdue, Nov. 12, 2023

## CAREER STATISTICS

### STANISZEWSKA, Karolina

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2023-24	MSU	89-26	117	1.31	70	404	.116	20	0.22	19	0.21	43	177	1.99	32	1	13	14	0.16	1	1	143.5	1.61
2024-25	MSU	4-3	3	0.75	6	20	-.150	0	0.00	1	0.25	1	3	0.75	2	0	1	1	0.25	0	0	4.5	1.13
TOTAL		93 - 29	120	1.29	76	424	.104	20	0.22	20	0.22	44	180	1.94	34	1	14	15	0.16	1	1	148.0	1.59



# #3 | AKASHA ANDERSON

(SHE/HER)  
OUTSIDE HITTER  
JUNIOR  
RESTON, VA. / HERNDON HS / AUBURN  
VIRGINIA ELITE

## ABOUT AKASHA

PRONUNCIATION: uh-KAH-shuh

**SOPHOMORE (Auburn, 2023):** Started in 27 matches ... Averaged 3.82 points per set and 3.37 kills per set on 1,114 total attacks... Second on the team with 356 kills ... Tied career high with 26 kills against South Alabama ... Second on the team with nine double-doubles ... Third-most aces on the team with 27 ... Set career highs in aces per set (0.26) and digs per set (2.30) ... Had three matches (at South Alabama, vs Ole Miss, at Mississippi State) with more than 20 kills ... Reached double-digit kills in 22 matches.

**FRESHMAN (Auburn, 2022):** Played in all 31 matches for the Tigers, starting in 27 ... Piled up a career-high 18 digs in win over Alabama ... Recorded her first double-double on Sept. 9 vs UAB with 24 kills and 14 digs ... notched the second-most double-doubles on the team with nine ... Had at least 10 kills in 23 matches ... At least 20 kills in eight matches ... Her 428 kills were the 2nd-most in a single season at Auburn, as was her 3.54 kills per set and 1.240 total attacks ... Ranked top-5 in the SEC in total attacks, kills, kills per set, points and points per set... Was top-10 in the nation among freshmen in kills, kills per set, points and points per set... Named SEC Freshmen of the Week twice ... Named to the SEC All-Freshman Team ... All-SEC Selection ... Named to the AVCA South All-Region Team ... Awarded the 2022 AVCA South Region Freshman of the Year.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #3 ANDERSON, Akasha

Date	Opponent	SP	Attack				Set			Serve			Recept			Blocking				Team					
			K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	*4	11	3	37	.216	1	5	.200	0	1	11	.909	1	20	.950	6	0	2	0	2.0	0	12.0	.156	1-3
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	*4	16	10	41	.146	0	1	.000	3	2	15	.867	1	8	.875	3	0	1	0	1.0	0	19.5	.197	3-1
09/01/2024	vs Florida	*3	10	4	31	.194	1	2	.500	1	0	10	1.000	0	12	1.000	4	0	2	0	2.0	0	12.0	.206	0-3
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	*4	14	4	34	.294	1	8	.125	1	1	19	.947	1	12	.917	11	0	2	0	2.0	0	16.0	.297	3-1
09/07/2024	Marist	*3	8	3	21	.238	1	4	.250	2	2	9	.778	0	4	1.000	2	0	5	0	5.0	0	12.5	.382	3-0
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	*4	17	7	42	.238	2	4	.500	2	3	14	.786	0	5	1.000	6	0	2	0	2.0	0	20.0	.262	3-1
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	*2	2	2	8	.000	0	0	.000	0	2	2	.000	1	4	.750	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	2.0	.202	0-3
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	*3	17	5	29	.414	1	2	.500	1	1	15	.933	0	14	1.000	9	0	4	0	4.0	0	20.0	.257	3-0
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	*4	11	8	42	.071	0	2	.000	0	2	19	.895	1	18	.944	8	1	1	0	2.0	0	12.5	.282	3-1
09/20/2024	at Duke	*5	13	6	40	.175	1	3	.333	0	1	12	.917	4	35	.886	5	0	2	1	2.0	0	14.0	.268	3-2
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	*4	9	3	34	.176	0	1	.000	0	2	14	.857	2	21	.905	9	0	3	0	3.0	0	10.5	.238	1-3
09/27/2024	at Michigan	*3	13	8	33	.152	0	2	.000	1	2	11	.818	0	19	1.000	5	1	1	0	2.0	0	15.5	.071	0-3
09/29/2024	at Penn St.	*4	10	7	35	.086	1	5	.200	0	0	16	1.000	2	32	.938	10	0	0	0	0.0	0	10.0	.176	1-3
Totals		47	151	70	427	.190	9	39	.231	11	19	167	.886	13	204	.936	80	2	25	1	27.0	0	176.5		

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
47	3.21	0.19	0.23	1.70	0.57	3.76



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Kills:.....17, vs. Loyola Chicago, Sept. 8  
Digs: .....11, vs. Western Kentucky, Sept. 6  
Aces:.....3, at Colorado State, Aug. 31  
Blocks:.....5, vs. Marist, Sept. 7

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills:...26, 2x, last at South Alabama, Sept. 14, 2023  
Digs: .....20, vs. Arkansas, Nov. 24, 2023  
Aces:.....4, 4x, last at South Carolina, Oct. 8, 2023  
Blocks:.....6, at South Carolina, Oct. 8, 2023

## CAREER STATISTICS

### ANDERSON, Akasha

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2022-23	AU	121-31	428	3.54	211	1240	.175	13	0.11	27	0.22	41	225	1.86	50	4	56	60	0.50	5	0	487.0	4.02
2023-24	AU	107-27	356	3.33	174	1114	.163	13	0.12	27	0.25	73	243	2.27	41	3	45	48	0.45	4	1	408.5	3.82
2024-25	MSU	47-13	151	3.21	70	427	.190	9	0.19	11	0.23	19	80	1.70	13	2	25	27	0.57	1	0	176.5	3.76
TOTAL FOR MSU		47 - 13	151	3.21	70	427	.190	9	0.19	11	0.23	19	80	1.70	13	2	25	27	0.57	1	0	176.5	3.76
TOTAL		275 - 71	935	3.40	455	2781	.173	35	0.13	65	0.24	133	548	1.99	104	9	126	135	0.49	10	1	1072	3.90



# #5 | KY CLAYTON

(SHE/HER)  
DS/L  
SOPHOMORE  
LEE'S SUMMIT, MO. / LEE'S SUMMIT HS  
PVA

## ABOUT KY

PRONUNCIATION: KYE

**FRESHMAN (2023):** Appeared in 17 sets and eight matches for the Spartans, mostly as a serving specialist during her freshman campaign.

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Was an Under Armour Next camp invitee and named to the Vballrecruiter.com 2023 National Player Rankings list ... Named to the AVCA Phenom List (2020, 2021) and the AVCA All-America Watch List (2022) ... Named to the VolleyballMag ION Watch List for 2022 and the PrepDig Player Rankings List in 2020 and 2022 ... Played three seasons at Lee's Summit High School earning her spot as team captain in 2022 ... Twice named First Team All-Conference (2020, 2022), Clayton also earned First Team All-District (2020, 2022) and Academic All-State (2020, 2022) ... Helped lead Lee's Summit to a conference championship in 2020 and district championships in 2019 and 2020 ... Also played as an attacker and setter due to her athleticism ... Ranked #6 and #28 in the MSHSAA record book for most assists in a match.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

#5 CLAYTON, Ky

Date	Opponent	Attack						Serve						Recept			Blocking				Team			
		SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE	
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	4	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.197	3-1	
09/07/2024	Marist	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	0	5	1.000	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.382	3-0
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	1	1.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.282	3-1
09/29/2024	at Penn St.	3	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	3	1.000	0	0	.000	2	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.176	1-3
Totals		10	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	0	9	1.000	0	0	.000	3	0	0	0.0	0	1.0		

Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
10	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.30	0.00	0.10



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Digs:.....2, at Penn State, Sep. 29  
Aces:.....1, vs. Marist, Sept. 7

### CAREER HIGHS

Digs:.....2, 2x, last at Penn State, Sept. 29, 2024  
Aces:.....3, vs. UNC, Sept. 10, 2023

## CAREER STATISTICS

CLAYTON, Ky

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2023-24	MSU	17-8	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	4	0.24	2	4	0.24	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	4.0	0.24
2024-25	MSU	10-4	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	1	0.10	0	3	0.30	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0	0.10
TOTAL		27 - 12	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	5	0.19	2	7	0.26	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	5.0	0.19



# #6 | NIL OKUR

(SHE/HER)  
MIDDLE BLOCKER  
JUNIOR  
ISTANBUL, TURKEY  
FENERBAHÇE

## ABOUT NIL

**PRONUNCIATION:** KNEEL oh-KOOR

**SOPHOMORE (2023):** Academic All-B1G ... Appeared in 58 sets, playing in 18 matches and making 13 starts for MSU in the middle ... Finished season with 82 kills, hitting .267 with 42 total blocks (0.72 blocks/set).

**FRESHMAN (2022):** Appeared in 83 sets, starting and playing in 23 matches for the Spartans as a freshman ... Named tournament MVP at the Green & White Classic ... Her .307 hitting percentage ranked No. 4 all-time by a Spartan first year ... Finished the season with 113 kills on 1.36 kills per set ... Was second on the team in total blocks with 73 (seven solo, 66 assisted) ... Also had 18 service aces.

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Played four years at Fenerbahçe Spor Kulübü under head coach Emre Nur ... Club teammate of MSU teammate Selin Aslayan ... Elected team captain ... Helped team to third place finish in the 2021-22 Turkish Championship ... Has played with U19/U20, U17/U18 and U16/17 age group Turkish National teams.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

#6 OKUR, Nil

		Attack				Set		Serve				Recept			Blocking				Team						
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	3	4	0	5	.800	0	2	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	1	1.000	0	0	3	0	3.0	0	5.5	.156	1-3
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	2	8	0	10	.800	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	1	3	0	4.0	0	10.5	.262	3-1
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	2	2	1	6	.167	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	3	0	4	0	4.0	0	4.0	.202	0-3
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	2	3	2	7	.143	0	3	.000	0	1	6	.833	0	0	.000	2	0	1	0	1.0	0	3.5	.257	3-0
Totals		9	17	3	28	.500	0	5	.000	0	1	6	.833	0	1	1.000	6	1	11	0	12.0	0	23.5		

Player Averages						
Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
9	1.89	0.00	0.00	0.67	1.33	2.61



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: .....8, vs. Loyola Chicago, Sept. 8  
Blocks:..... 4, 2x, last vs. Western Mich., Sept. 11

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: .....13, 2x, last at Indiana, Oct. 16, 2022  
Attempts: .....25, 2x, last at Indiana, Oct. 16, 2022  
Digs:.....5, at Northwestern, Sept. 29, 2023  
Service aces: ..... 4, vs. Chicago St, Sep. 17, 2022  
Blocks:.....8, at Navy, Sep. 2, 2022  
Solo Blocks:.....2, at Indiana, Oct. 16, 2022  
Block Assists:.....8, at Navy, Sep. 2, 2022

## CAREER STATISTICS

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SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2022-23	MSU	83-23	113	1.36	29	274	.307	2	0.02	18	0.22	33	27	0.33	0	7	66	73	0.88	1	0	171.0	2.06
2023-24	MSU	58-18	82	1.41	30	195	.267	5	0.09	10	0.17	16	32	0.55	0	5	37	42	0.72	1	0	115.5	1.99
2024-25	MSU	9-4	17	1.89	3	28	.500	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	6	0.67	0	1	11	12	1.33	0	0	23.5	2.61
TOTAL		150 - 45	212	1.41	62	497	.302	7	0.05	28	0.19	50	65	0.43	0	13	114	127	0.85	2	0	310.0	2.07



# #7 | TAYLOR PRESTON

(SHE/HER)  
OUTSIDE HITTER  
JUNIOR  
UNION, KY. / ST. HENRY DISTRICT HS / OKLAHOMA  
NORTHERN KENTUCKY VOLLEYBALL CLUB

## ABOUT TAYLOR

**FRESHMAN/SOPHOMORE (OKLAHOMA, 2022-2023):** Preston appeared in 55 matches while making 42 starts for the Sooners during her two-year stint in Norman ... Her 354 kills ranked second on the team in 2023 along with her 3.56 points per set and 3.25 kills per set ... All three of which were new career-bests ... Preston posted a career-high 28 kills in a five-set victory over Tulsa during the 2023 campaign ... During her freshman season Preston was named to the All-Tournament team at the Santa Clara Tournament and earned Big 12 Rookie of the Week honors on Nov. 1, 2022.

**HIGH SCHOOL:** Tabbed as the Gatorade Player of the Year for the state of Kentucky in 2021 ... Named to the AVCA High School All-America First-Team in 2021 ... 2021 AVCA All-Region selection ... 2021 District All-Tournament Team ... 2021 Region MVP ... 2021 First Team All-State ... 2021 State Tournament MVP ... Owns the all-time kills record at St. Henry District ... 2021 State Champion ... 2019 District Tournament MVP ... 2018 PrepVolleyball.com Freshman of the Year candidate ... 2018 KHSAA State All-Tournament Team ... Finished her high school career with over 1,300 kills, 270 blocks and 400 digs.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #7 PRESTON, Taylor

			Attack				Set			Serve				Recept				Blocking				Team				
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE	
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.		1	2	4	.250	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	2	0	2.0	0	2.0	.156	1-3	
09/01/2024	vs Florida		2	1	0	4	.250	0	1	.000	0	0	1	1.000	0	3	1.000	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.206	0-3
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	*4	14	6	32	.250	1	3	.333	2	1	11	.909	2	7	.714	2	0	2	0	2.0	0	17.0	.297	3-1	
09/07/2024	Marist	*3	8	2	13	.462	0	3	.000	4	0	18	1.000	1	2	.500	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	12.0	.382	3-0	
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	*4	9	5	26	.154	1	5	.200	0	2	8	.750	2	9	.778	4	0	4	0	4.0	0	11.0	.262	3-1	
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	*3	11	2	37	.243	1	4	.250	0	1	8	.875	1	6	.833	8	0	3	1	3.0	0	12.5	.202	0-3	
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	*3	8	3	14	.357	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	2	1.000	6	0	0	0	0.0	0	8.0	.257	3-0	
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	4	14	2	35	.343	0	2	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	1	1.000	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	14.0	.282	3-1	
09/20/2024	at Duke	5	8	4	21	.190	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	4	0	3	0	3.0	0	9.5	.268	3-2	
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	4	6	1	16	.313	0	3	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	3	1.000	3	0	3	0	3.0	0	7.5	.238	1-3	
09/27/2024	at Michigan	3	7	3	25	.160	0	2	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	8	1.000	4	1	1	0	2.0	0	8.5	.071	0-3	
09/29/2024	at Penn St.	*4	18	5	41	.317	0	3	.000	0	1	14	.929	1	8	.875	7	0	2	0	2.0	0	19.0	.176	1-3	
Totals			41	105	35	268	.261	3	28	.107	6	5	60	.917	7	49	.857	42	1	20	1	21.0	0	122.0		

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
41	2.56	0.07	0.15	1.02	0.51	2.98



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Kills:.....18, at Penn State, Sept. 29  
Blocks:.....4, vs. Loyola Chicago, Sept. 8  
Digs:.....8, vs. Western Michigan, Sept. 11  
Aces:.....4, vs. Marist, Sept. 7

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills:.....28, vs. Tulsa, Oct. 24, 2023  
Digs: .....15, vs. Texas Tech, Nov. 9, 2022  
Aces:.....4, vs. Marist, Sept. 7, 2024  
Blocks:.....6, vs. Fresno State, Sept. 11, 2022

## CAREER STATISTICS

### PRESTON, Taylor

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2022-23	OK	86-26	253	2.94	93	749	.214	9	0.10	12	0.14	15	121	1.41	16	6	28	34	0.40	1	0	285.0	3.31
2023-24	OK	109-28	354	3.25	166	981	.192	2	0.02	3	0.03	22	33	0.30	13	8	46	54	0.50	1	2	388.0	3.56
2024-25	MSU	41-12	105	2.56	35	268	.261	3	0.07	6	0.15	5	42	1.02	7	1	20	21	0.51	1	0	122.0	2.98
TOTAL FOR MSU		41 - 12	105	2.56	35	268	.261	3	0.07	6	0.15	5	42	1.02	7	1	20	21	0.51	1	0	122.0	2.98
TOTAL		236 - 66	712	3.02	294	1998	.209	14	0.06	21	0.09	42	196	0.83	36	15	94	109	0.46	3	2	795.0	3.37



# #8 | MIA HOOD

(THEY/THEM)  
MIDDLE BLOCKER  
FRESHMAN  
ROSWELL, GA.  
A5 MIZUNO

## ABOUT MIA

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Played club volleyball at A5 Mizuno ... Helped A5 to an AAU National Open Championship in 2022 as well as a third place finish in 2023 ... Attended Blessed Trinity Catholic for two years before being homeschooled during final two years of high school ... In 2023, Hood was named to the AVCA All-America watch list, the JVA All-America watch list and the USA Toady HSSA Girls Volleyball Player of the Year watch list ... Ranked as the No. 6 overall recruit by PrepVolleyball and No. 21 PrepDig ... PrepVolleyball All-American in 2023, 2022 and 2021 ... Named First Team All-State in only two seasons of high school volleyball (2020, 2021) ... Led the state in blocks and hitting percentage as a sophomore.

**PERSONAL:** Parents are Cara and Steve Morse ... Sister, Kaya Hood, also plays at Michigan State .. Has two other siblings, Jada and Marley.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #8 HOOD, Mia

			Attack				Set		Serve				Recept				Blocking				Team				
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	1	1	0	1	1.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	1	2	.500	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.282	3-1
Totals		1	1	0	1	1.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	1	2	.500	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0		

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
1	1.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	1.00



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Kills:.....1, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17  
Digs: .....1, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills:... 1, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17, 2024  
Digs:.. 1, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17, 2024

## CAREER STATISTICS

### HOOD, Mia

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2024-25	MSU	1-1	1	1.00	0	1	1.000	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	1	1.00	1	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0	1.00
TOTAL		1 - 1	1	1.00	0	1	1.000	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	1	1.00	1	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0	1.00



# #9 | ZUZANNA KULIG

(SHE/HER)  
MIDDLE BLOCKER  
SOPHOMORE  
CHRZANÓW, POLAND  
ITA TOOLS STAL MIELEC

## ABOUT ZUZANNA

PRONUNCIATION: zoo-ZON-uh KOOL-igg

**FRESHMAN (2023):** Returned from early season injury to play in 42 sets, appearing in 12 matches and making 11 starts ... Ranked second on the team in blocks/set at 0.88 and posted 37 total blocks ... Hit .375, posting 1.50 kills per set and 2.12 points per set.

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Played as a middle blocker for ITA TOOLS Stal Mielec in the Polish 1 Liga under head coach Wieslaw Popik ... Previously played for Stezycza, Elite Volley Malopolska, the PZPS Spot Championship School in Szczyrk and UMKS MPOS Chrzanów.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #9 KULIG, Zuzanna

Date	Opponent	SP	Attack				Set			Serve				Recept			Blocking				Team				
			K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	*4	5	1	9	.444	2	4	.500	2	1	14	.929	0	0	.000	0	3	4	0	7.0	0	12.0	.156	1-3
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	*4	9	0	15	.600	1	2	.500	6	2	26	.923	0	0	.000	2	2	4	0	6.0	0	19.0	.197	3-1
09/01/2024	vs Florida	*3	5	0	9	.556	0	2	.000	0	0	11	1.000	0	0	.000	0	0	4	0	4.0	0	7.0	.206	0-3
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	*4	4	1	13	.231	0	4	.000	1	0	13	1.000	0	0	.000	2	0	4	0	4.0	0	7.0	.297	3-1
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	*4	4	1	12	.250	1	1	1.000	0	1	21	.952	0	0	.000	4	0	6	1	6.0	0	7.0	.262	3-1
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	*3	4	1	11	.273	0	1	.000	0	0	7	1.000	0	0	.000	2	0	3	1	3.0	0	5.5	.202	0-3
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	*1	0	0	3	.000	1	1	1.000	0	0	2	1.000	0	0	.000	1	0	1	0	1.0	0	0.5	.257	3-0
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	*4	7	2	14	.357	0	0	.000	0	1	14	.929	0	0	.000	2	0	4	0	4.0	0	9.0	.282	3-1
09/20/2024	at Duke	*5	9	0	18	.500	0	4	.000	1	1	14	.929	0	0	.000	3	3	8	0	11.0	0	17.0	.268	3-2
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	*4	8	0	16	.500	0	2	.000	0	2	12	.833	0	0	.000	0	1	7	0	8.0	0	12.5	.238	1-3
09/27/2024	at Michigan	*3	4	4	9	.000	1	3	.333	0	0	6	1.000	0	1	1.000	1	0	2	1	2.0	0	5.0	.071	0-3
09/29/2024	at Penn St.	*4	3	0	11	.273	0	0	.000	0	2	10	.800	0	0	.000	1	0	4	1	4.0	0	5.0	.176	1-3
Totals			43	62	10	140	.371	6	24	.250	10	10	150	.933	0	1	1.000	18	9	51	4	60.0	0	106.5	

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
43	1.44	0.14	0.23	0.42	1.40	2.48



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Kills:.....9, 2x, last at Duke, Sept. 20  
Blocks: .....11, at Duke, Sept. 20  
Aces: .....6, at Colorado State, Aug. 31

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills:.....12, at Rutgers, Nov. 18, 2023  
Blocks: .....11, at Duke, Sept. 20, 2024  
Aces: .....6, at Colorado State, Aug. 31, 2024

## CAREER STATISTICS

### KULIG, Zuzanna

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2023-24	MSU	42-12	63	1.50	15	128	.375	2	0.05	5	0.12	9	18	0.43	0	5	32	37	0.88	9	0	89.0	2.12
2024-25	MSU	43-12	62	1.44	10	140	.371	6	0.14	10	0.23	10	18	0.42	0	9	51	60	1.40	4	0	106.5	2.48
TOTAL			85	1.47	25	268	.373	8	0.09	15	0.18	19	36	0.42	0	14	83	97	1.14	13	0	195.5	2.30



# #12 | EVIE DOEZEMA

(SHE/HER)  
MIDDLE BLOCKER  
JUNIOR  
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. / GRAND RAPIDS CHRISTIAN HS  
MICHIGAN VOLLEYBALL ACADEMY

## ABOUT EVIE

PRONUNCIATION: EHV-ee DUE-zuh-muh

**SOPHOMORE (2023):** Academic All-B1G ... Played in 102 sets, appearing in 31 matches and making 23 starts ... Transitioned to the right side after playing as a six-rotation pin in 2022 ... Fifth on the team in kills (143) while improving efficiency to .257 hitting ... Second on the team in blocks (57) on 0.56 per set.

**FRESHMAN (2022):** Played in 93 sets, appearing in 29 matches and making 20 starts for the Spartans as a freshman ... Finished third on the team in kills with 188 on 2.02 kills per set ... Also posted 110 digs and 33 total blocks (five solo, 28 assisted) ... Had a season-best 16 kills against VCU on 9/3 ... Named to the All-Tournament team at the Kristen Dickmann Invitational at Navy.

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Played club at Michigan Volleyball Academy and FarOut ... 2021-22 Miss Volleyball finalist ... Helped Grand Rapids Christian to three consecutive MHSAA state titles from 2018-2020, reaching the semifinals in 2021 ... Three-time All-State, All-Region, All-District and All-Conference ... Named to 2018-19 Frosh 59 ... Ranked in the Top 100 in the PrepVolleyball Class of 2022 ... Accomplished high school basketball player as well having been named an All-State honorable mention.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

#12 DOEZEMA, Evie																											
		Attack						Set			Serve			Recept			Blocking				Team						
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE		
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	*2	0	3	3	-1.000	0	2	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	1.0	0	0.5	.156	1-3		
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	*4	6	2	9	.444	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	4	0	4.0	0	8.0	.197	3-1		
09/01/2024	vs Florida	*3	4	0	8	.500	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	2	0	4	0	4.0	0	6.0	.206	0-3		
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	*3	8	2	16	.375	0	3	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	2	0	3	0	3.0	0	9.5	.297	3-1		
09/07/2024	Marist	*3	4	0	9	.444	0	0	.000	0	1	2	.500	0	0	.000	1	0	5	0	5.0	0	6.5	.382	3-0		
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	*2	2	1	8	.125	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	1.0	0	2.5	.262	3-1		
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	*1	1	0	3	.333	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.202	0-3		
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	*3	6	1	7	.714	1	3	.333	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	3	1	3.0	0	7.5	.257	3-0		
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	*4	14	1	21	.619	1	2	.500	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	2	0	3	0	3.0	0	15.5	.282	3-1		
09/20/2024	at Duke	*5	6	0	7	.857	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	2	3	0	5.0	0	9.5	.268	3-2		
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	*4	10	1	16	.563	1	4	.250	0	0	0	.000	0	1	1.000	0	0	4	0	4.0	0	12.0	.238	1-3		
09/27/2024	at Michigan	*3	2	2	7	.000	1	1	1.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	0	1	0	1.0	0	2.5	.071	0-3		
09/29/2024	at Penn St.	*4	0	2	12	-.167	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	1	2	0	3.0	0	2.0	.176	1-3		
Totals		41	63	15	126	.381	4	19	.211	0	1	2	.500	0	1	1.000	8	3	34	1	37.0	0	83.0				

Player Averages						
Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
41	1.54	0.10	0.00	0.20	0.90	2.02



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Kills: .....14 vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17  
Blocks: .....5, 2x, last at Duke, Sept. 20

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: .....16, vs. VCU, Sep. 3, 2022  
Attempts: .....45, vs. VCU, Sep. 3, 2022  
Service aces:.....3, vs. Fairfield, Aug. 27, 2022  
Digs: ....11, 2x, last at Maryland, Sep. 30, 2022  
Blocks: .....5, 3x, last at Duke, Sept. 20, 2024

## CAREER STATISTICS

DOEZEMA, Evie																							
SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2022-23	MSU	93-29	188	2.02	135	591	.090	19	0.20	11	0.12	19	110	1.18	28	5	28	33	0.35	0	0	218.0	2.34
2023-24	MSU	102-31	143	1.40	52	354	.257	6	0.06	4	0.04	9	33	0.32	1	5	52	57	0.56	5	0	178.0	1.75
2024-25	MSU	41-13	63	1.54	15	126	.381	4	0.10	0	0.00	1	8	0.20	0	3	34	37	0.90	1	0	83.0	2.02
TOTAL		236 - 73	394	1.67	202	1071	.179	29	0.12	15	0.06	29	151	0.64	29	13	114	127	0.54	6	0	479.0	2.03



# #13 | ALIYAH MOORE

(SHE/HER)  
OUTSIDE HITTER  
SENIOR  
SURPRISE, ARIZ. / VALLEY VISTA HS / ILLINOIS STATE  
ARIZONA STORM

## ABOUT ALIYAH

**JUNIOR (2023):** BIG Distinguished Scholar ... Academic All-BIG ... Played in 95 sets, appearing in 26 matches and making 12 starts ... Transitioned to the right side as a junior ... Finished season second in kills (209), kills/set (2.20) and points/set (2.47) ... Improved efficiency hitting .246 ... Had career-best performance against Brown on Sept. 16 with 25 kills, eight blocks and six digs, all career-highs ... Named to the All-Tournament Team at the Dog Pound Challenge.

**SOPHOMORE (2022):** Played in 114 sets, appearing in a total of 31 matches while making 16 starts for the Spartans ... Earned All-Tournament Team honors at the Green & White Classic ... Posted a team-high 322 kills on 2.82 kills per set along with a .172 hitting percentage ... Second on the team in points per set at 3.03.

**FRESHMAN (ILLINOIS STATE, 2021):** Earned a spot on the MVC All-Freshman Team after finishing with 142 kills (2.09 kills/set) during Valley play ... Tied for the 13th-most kills by a Redbird freshman ... posted a double-digit kills effort on 12 occasions, including a six-game stretch with 10+ kills to open conference play ... Led the 'Birds with nine kills in her NCAA Tournament debut against No. 6 Purdue.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #13 MOORE, Aliyah

Date	Opponent	SP	Attack				Set			Serve			Recept			Blocking				Team					
			K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	*4	5	2	12	.250	0	3	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	2	0	2	0	2.0	0	6.0	.156	1-3
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	4	6	2	16	.250	1	2	.500	0	0	0	.000	0	2	1.000	0	0	3	0	3.0	0	7.5	.197	3-1
09/01/2024	vs Florida	3	4	4	13	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	3	1.000	0	0	3	1	3.0	0	5.5	.206	0-3
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	2	1	0	3	.333	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.297	3-1
09/07/2024	Marist	*3	3	1	6	.333	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	3	1.000	1	0	2	0	2.0	0	4.0	.382	3-0
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	*2	5	2	11	.273	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	3	1.000	0	0	2	0	2.0	0	6.0	.262	3-1
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	*3	7	2	14	.357	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	1	1.000	1	0	3	0	3.0	0	8.5	.202	0-3
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	3	5	3	17	.118	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	3	1	1	0	2.0	0	6.5	.257	3-0
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	*3	5	2	16	.188	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	2	0	2	0	2.0	0	6.0	.282	3-1
09/20/2024	at Duke	*5	9	3	22	.273	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	3	1.000	3	0	4	0	4.0	0	11.0	.268	3-2
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	*4	6	2	20	.200	1	4	.250	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	2	0	2	1	2.0	0	7.0	.238	1-3
09/27/2024	at Michigan	*3	2	2	17	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	2.0	.071	0-3
09/29/2024	at Penn St.	*4	5	2	16	.188	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	5	1.000	0	0	3	0	3.0	0	6.5	.176	1-3
Totals		43	63	27	183	.197	2	13	.154	0	0	0	.000	0	20	1.000	16	1	27	2	28.0	0	77.5		

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
43	1.47	0.05	0.00	0.37	0.65	1.80



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Kills:..... 9, at Duke, Sept. 20  
Blocks:..... 4, at Duke, Sept. 20

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills:..... 25, vs. Brown, Sept. 16, 2023  
Attacks:..... 48, vs. Louisiana, Aug. 26, 2022  
Assists:..... 3, at Indiana St., Oct. 8, 2021  
Digs:..... 6, 4x, last vs. Brown, Sept. 16, 2023  
Blocks:..... 8, vs. Brown, Sept. 16, 2023  
Block solos:..... 2, vs. Evansville, Sep. 17, 2022  
Block assists:..... 8, vs. Brown, Sept. 16, 2023

## CAREER STATISTICS

### MOORE, Aliyah

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2021-22	ILS	115-33	251	2.18	115	607	.224	5	0.04	0	0.00	0	69	0.60	1	1	78	79	0.69	4	0	291.0	2.53
2022-23	MSU	114-31	322	2.82	172	870	.172	5	0.04	0	0.00	9	70	0.61	11	8	30	38	0.33	6	0	345.0	3.03
2023-24	MSU	95-26	209	2.20	79	528	.246	4	0.04	0	0.00	0	40	0.42	7	1	50	51	0.54	5	1	235.0	2.47
2024-25	MSU	43-13	63	1.47	27	183	.197	2	0.05	0	0.00	0	16	0.37	0	1	27	28	0.65	2	0	77.5	1.80
TOTAL FOR MSU		252 - 70	594	2.36	278	1581	.200	11	0.04	0	0.00	9	126	0.50	18	10	107	117	0.46	13	1	657.5	2.61
TOTAL		367 - 103	845	2.30	393	2188	.207	16	0.04	0	0.00	9	195	0.53	19	11	185	196	0.53	17	1	948.5	2.58



# #14 | TAYLAH HOLDEM

(SHE/HER)

OUTSIDE HITTER

SOPHOMORE

CHRISTCHURCH, NEW ZEALAND / BURNSIDE HS

SILVERBACKS VBC

## ABOUT TAYLAH

**PRONUNCIATION:** TAY-luh HOLD-um

**FRESHMAN (2023):** Appeared in 116 sets, one of two players on the team not to miss a set all season. Played in and started all 31 matches ... Named Second Team All-BIG and All-BIG Freshman Team ... First MSU freshman named to All-Freshman Team since 2014 ... Led the team with 399 kills, 3.88 points per set, 3.44 kills per set and 33 aces ... Ranked No. 3 in program history for kills, kills/set by a freshman ... Was second on the team in digs (238) and digs per set (2.05) ... Led all BIG freshmen in scoring during BIG play (4.03 points per set) ... Named to All-Tournament Team at Kathy DeBoer Invitational ... Earned BIG Freshman of the Week on Nov. 6 ... Her 25 kills on Sept. 29 were the most in a match by an MSU freshman since Erin Hartley (28, 1998).

**PRIOR TO MSU:** In September 2022, Holdem traveled to Turkey to play in the U19 Beach Volleyball World Championships ... She qualified after placing 5th at the Asian U19 Beach Volleyball Championship ... Holdem was selected to play for the Southern Pounamu team in the New Zealand National Volleyball League (NVL) in which the top 12 players nationally were selected ... Beach doubles partner and best friend Rosa Vesty plays in the BIG at Iowa.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #14 HOLDEM, Taylah

Date	Opponent	SP	Attack				Set			Serve				Recept			Blocking				Team				
			K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	*4	12	9	36	.083	1	7	.143	1	3	17	.824	0	20	1.000	6	0	0	0	0.0	0	13.0	.156	1-3
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	*4	6	8	24	-.083	2	6	.333	1	3	15	.800	1	31	.968	9	0	1	2	1.0	0	7.5	.197	3-1
09/01/2024	vs Florida	*3	7	7	22	.000	0	3	.000	2	3	8	.625	0	6	1.000	2	0	1	1	1.0	0	9.5	.206	0-3
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	1	4	3	10	.100	1	2	.500	1	1	5	.800	0	3	1.000	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	5.0	.297	3-1
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	4	9	3	21	.286	0	1	.000	1	1	13	.923	1	25	.960	4	0	0	0	0.0	0	10.0	.262	3-1
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	3	6	3	24	.125	0	2	.000	2	3	10	.700	1	34	.971	3	0	0	0	0.0	0	8.0	.202	0-3
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	2	6	1	9	.556	0	0	.000	0	0	3	1.000	0	10	1.000	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	6.0	.257	3-0
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	*4	14	6	32	.250	3	6	.500	0	2	11	.818	1	23	.957	16	0	4	0	4.0	0	16.0	.282	3-1
09/20/2024	at Duke	*5	10	6	26	.154	0	3	.000	1	3	18	.833	1	5	.800	8	0	2	0	2.0	0	12.0	.268	3-2
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	*4	11	9	38	.053	1	5	.200	0	3	13	.769	1	22	.955	6	0	3	0	3.0	0	12.5	.238	1-3
09/27/2024	at Michigan	*3	4	6	18	-.111	0	3	.000	0	3	8	.625	1	6	.833	7	0	1	0	1.0	0	4.5	.071	0-3
09/29/2024	at Penn St.	4	3	1	9	.222	1	3	.333	0	0	0	.000	0	5	1.000	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	3.0	.176	1-3
Totals			41	92	62	.269	.112	9	.41	.220	9	25	.793	7	190	.963	64	0	12	3	12.0	0	107.0		

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
41	2.24	0.22	0.22	1.56	0.29	2.61

## CAREER STATISTICS

### HOLDEM, Taylah

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2023-24	MSU	116-31	399	3.44	215	1081	.170	15	0.13	33	0.28	79	238	2.05	53	6	25	31	0.27	4	1	450.5	3.88
2024-25	MSU	41-12	92	2.24	62	269	.112	9	0.22	9	0.22	25	64	1.56	7	0	12	12	0.29	3	0	107.0	2.61
TOTAL		157 - 43	491	3.13	277	1350	.159	24	0.15	42	0.27	104	302	1.92	60	6	37	43	0.27	7	1	557.5	3.55



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Kills:.....14, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17  
Digs: .....16, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17  
Aces: .....2, 2x, last vs. Western Mich., Sept. 11

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills:.....25, at Northwestern, Sept. 29, 2023  
Digs: ...16, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17, 2024  
Aces: .....5, vs. Tulsa, Aug. 26, 2023  
Blocks: .4, 2x, last vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17, 2024



# #16 | GRACE KELLY

(SHE/HER)  
OUTSIDE HITTER  
SENIOR  
ALEXANDRIA, VA. / MOUNT VERNON HS/ VIRGINIA TECH  
METRO DC

## ABOUT GRACE

**JUNIOR (2023):** Academic All-BIG ... Appeared in 89 sets, playing in 30 matches and making five starts as a key rotational player off the bench ... Named to the All-Tournament Team at the Dog Pound Challenge ... Posted a career-high 20 kills against Northwestern on Oct. 7.

**SOPHOMORE (2022):** Played in 18 sets, appearing in eight matches for the Spartans ... Had a career-best 10 kills against Indiana on 10/23 hitting .261 for the match.

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Appeared in two matches for Virginia Tech as a freshman ... Recorded four points and four kills ... Had a season-high three kills against Florida State on Oct. 22, 2021 ... Four-year letterwinner at Mount Vernon HS ... Named All-District as a sophomore and junior ... Earned All-Region honors as a junior and senior.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

#16 KELLY, Grace

Date	Opponent	SP	Attack				Set		Serve			Recept			Blocking					Team						
			K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE	
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	1	1	0	1	1.000	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	1	1.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	.156	1-3	
09/01/2024	vs Florida	1	1	0	3	.333	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	1.0	.206	0-3	
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	1	3	0	3	1.000	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	1.0	0	3.5	.297	3-1	
09/07/2024	Marist	3	4	0	7	.571	1	1	1.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	1.0	0	4.5	.382	3-0	
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	3	1	3	6	-.333	0	2	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	1.0	0	1.5	.262	3-1	
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	2	2	2	6	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	1	1.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	2.0	.202	0-3	
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0	.257	3-0	
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	1	4	1	6	.500	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	0	0	4.0	.282	3-1	
Totals			13	16	6	32	.313	1	6	.167	0	0	0	.000	0	2	1.000	1	0	3	0	3.0	0	17.5		

Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
13	1.23	0.08	0.00	0.08	0.23	1.35



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Kills:..... 4, 2x, last vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills:.....20, vs. Northwestern, Oct. 7, 2023

Digs:.....8, at Iowa, Oct. 14, 2023

Blocks:.....2, 6x, last at Penn St., Nov. 17, 2023

Ace: .....1, 2x, last at Iowa, Oct. 14, 2023

## CAREER STATISTICS

KELLY, Grace

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2021-22	VT	2-2	4	2.00	9	20	-.250	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	1	0.50	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	4.0	2.00
2022-23	MSU	18-8	23	1.28	21	81	.025	1	0.06	0	0.00	0	9	0.50	0	1	1	2	0.11	1	1	24.5	1.36
2023-24	MSU	89-30	194	2.18	100	534	.176	3	0.03	2	0.02	6	44	0.49	10	3	21	24	0.27	3	1	209.5	2.35
2024-25	MSU	13-8	16	1.23	6	32	.313	1	0.08	0	0.00	0	1	0.08	0	0	3	3	0.23	0	0	17.5	1.35
TOTAL FOR MSU		120 - 46	233	1.94	127	647	.164	5	0.04	2	0.02	6	54	0.45	10	4	25	29	0.24	4	2	251.5	2.10
TOTAL		122 - 48	237	1.94	136	667	.151	5	0.04	2	0.02	6	55	0.45	10	4	25	29	0.24	4	2	255.5	2.09



# #18 | RACHEL MUISENGA

(SHE/HER)  
SETTER  
SENIOR  
WHEATON, ILL. / BENET ACADEMY / PENN STATE  
ADVERSITY VBC

## ABOUT RACHEL

PRONUNCIATION: MY-zing-uh

**JUNIOR (2023):** Academic All-BIG ... Played in 57 sets across 17 matches in her second season as a Spartan ... Ran 6-2 system with Julia Bishop and Cam Berger ... Tallied 216 assists on 4.15 assists/set to rank third on the team in each stat ... Posted season-high 23 assists at Iowa on Oct. 14 ... Had first career double-double with 18 assists and 10 digs against Penn State on Oct. 28 in an upset victory over the Nittany Lions.

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Spent one season redshirting at Penn State ... Ranked No. 30 on the PrepVolleyball.com Senior Ace List ... Was the Gatorade Volleyball Player of the Year in Illinois ... Led Benet Academy to a 41-1 record and a state title while earning first-team All-America honors in 2019 ... Helped the team finish third in the state in 2018 ... Named the Illinois Player of the Year by the Naperville Sun and the News Gazette in 2020-21 ... Was the 2020-21 East Suburban Catholic Conference (ESCC) Player of the Year ... Earned four All-ESCC honors ... Named all-state by the News Gazette three times.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

#18 MUISENGA, Rachel

Date	Opponent	SP	Attack				Set			Serve			Recept			Blocking				Team					
			K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	4	0	1	3	-.333	16	46	.348	0	1	14	.929	0	0	.000	5	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.156	1-3
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	*4	0	0	3	.000	20	54	.370	1	0	15	1.000	0	0	.000	4	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.197	3-1
09/01/2024	vs Florida	*3	0	0	0	.000	12	35	.343	0	1	9	.889	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.206	0-3
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	*4	5	1	11	.364	32	86	.372	0	0	21	1.000	0	1	1.000	9	0	1	0	1.0	0	5.5	.297	3-1
09/07/2024	Marist	*3	2	0	4	.500	10	21	.476	0	0	4	1.000	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	2.0	.382	3-0
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	*4	3	0	3	1.000	31	77	.403	3	2	15	.867	0	0	.000	9	0	1	0	1.0	0	6.5	.262	3-1
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	*2	0	1	2	-.500	7	34	.206	0	1	1	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	1.0	0	0.5	.202	0-3
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	3	0	1	1	-1.000	20	47	.426	0	2	12	.833	0	0	.000	9	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.257	3-0
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	*4	1	0	1	1.000	27	60	.450	0	2	17	.882	0	0	.000	10	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.282	3-1
09/20/2024	at Duke	*5	0	0	0	.000	28	72	.389	1	2	26	.923	0	0	.000	8	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.268	3-2
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	*4	1	1	2	.000	17	55	.309	0	2	18	.889	0	0	.000	11	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.238	1-3
09/27/2024	at Michigan	*3	0	0	1	.000	10	27	.370	1	2	12	.833	0	0	.000	5	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.071	0-3
Totals		43	12	5	31	.226	230	614	.375	6	15	164	.909	0	1	1.000	71	0	3	0	3.0	0	19.5		

Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
43	0.28	5.35	0.14	1.65	0.07	0.45



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Digs: ..... 11, at North Carolina, Sept. 22  
Assists: ..... 32, vs. Marist, Sept. 7  
Aces: ..... 3, vs. Loyola Chicago, Sept. 8

### CAREER HIGHS

Digs: ..... 11, at North Carolina, Sept. 22, 2024  
Assists: ..... 32, vs. Marist, Sept. 7, 2024  
Aces: ..... 4, vs. Maryland, Nov. 3, 2023

## CAREER STATISTICS

MUISENGA, Rachel

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2022-23	MSU	2-2	0	0.00	0	0	.000	5	2.50	0	0.00	1	4	2.00	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0	0.00
2023-24	MSU	52-17	3	0.06	3	11	.000	216	4.15	8	0.15	30	84	1.62	0	0	0	0	0.00	5	5	11.0	0.21
2024-25	MSU	43-12	12	0.28	5	31	.226	230	5.35	6	0.14	15	71	1.65	0	0	3	3	0.07	0	0	19.5	0.45
TOTAL		97 - 31	15	0.15	8	42	.167	451	4.65	14	0.14	46	159	1.64	0	0	3	3	0.03	5	5	30.5	0.31



# #21 | KAYA HOOD

(SHE/HER)  
MIDDLE BLOCKER  
SENIOR  
ROSWELL, GA. / BLESSED TRINITY CATHOLIC / SAMFORD  
A5 MIZUNO

## ABOUT KAYA

PRONUNCIATION: KYE-uh

**JUNIOR (2023):** Enrolled at Michigan State in January 2023 and practiced with the team throughout the spring ... Did not appear in game action in 2023.

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Played parts of two seasons at Samford, appearing in five matches for the Bulldogs ... Spent two seasons at Immaculate Conception Catholic Prep in Illinois, and two seasons at Blessed Trinity Catholic High School in Georgia ... Named 2020 AVCA All-Region 3 and All-America watch list ... Also named 5A All-State and All-Region 7 in Georgia in 2020 ... Selected to play in the 2020 Georgia Coaches Association All-Star Game ... Helped lead her team to the 2019 4A State Championship in Georgia.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #21 HOOD, Kaya

			Attack			Set			Serve			Recept			Blocking				Team						
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
09/07/2024	Marist	*1	0	1	1	-1.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.382	3-0
Totals			1	0	1	-1.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0		

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
1	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Digs: ..... 1, vs. Marist, Sept. 7

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills: ..... 1, 2x, last vs. Chattanooga, Oct. 28, 2022

Blocks: ..... 1, vs. Chattanooga, Oct. 28, 2022

Digs: ..... 1, vs. Marist, Sept. 7, 2024

## CAREER STATISTICS

### HOOD, Kaya

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2021-22	SU	1-1	0	0.00	0	0	.000	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0	0.00
2022-23	SU	4-4	2	0.50	0	2	1.000	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	0	0.00	0	0	1	1	0.25	0	0	2.5	0.63
2024-25	MSU	1-1	0	0.00	1	1	-1.000	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	1	1.00	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0	0.00
TOTAL FOR MSU			1	0.00	1	1	-1.000	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	1	1.00	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	0.0	0.00
TOTAL			6	0.33	1	3	.333	0	0.00	0	0.00	0	1	0.17	0	0	1	1	0.17	0	0	2.5	0.42



# #22 | CARMEN WAYE

(SHE/HER)  
MIDDLE BLOCKER  
FRESHMAN  
HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA / CITADEL HS  
FURY VBC

## ABOUT CARMEN

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Selected to Volleyball Canada's National Excellence Program in 2023, just her second year of playing volleyball ... Won Volleyball Nova Scotia Provincial Championship with Fury 18U and was named Most Valuable Player ... Named to the Canadian U19 National Team and took silver at the 2024 Girls U19 NORCECA (North, Central America and Caribbean Volleyball Confederation) Continental Championship, falling to the United States in the gold medal match ... Led Team Canada with 16 points (12 kills, match-high four blocks) in the championship match.

**PERSONAL:** Daughter of Stephanie and Jonathan Waye ... Has two siblings, Lauren and Elizabeth.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #22 WAYE, Carmen

			Attack			Set		Serve			Recept			Blocking					Team						
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	1.0	0	0.5	.297	3-1
09/07/2024	Marist	2	2	0	4	.500	0	0	.000	0	1	5	.800	0	0	.000	1	0	4	1	4.0	0	4.0	.382	3-0
Totals		3	2	0	4	.500	0	0	.000	0	1	5	.800	0	0	.000	1	0	5	1	5.0	0	4.5		

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
3	0.67	0.00	0.00	0.33	1.67	1.50



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Kills:.....2, vs. Marist, Sept. 7  
Blocks:.....4, vs. Marist, Sept. 7

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills:.....2, vs. Marist, Sept. 7, 2024  
Blocks:.....4, vs. Marist, Sept. 7, 2024

## CAREER STATISTICS

### WAYE, Carmen

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2024-25	MSU	3-2	2	0.67	0	4	.500	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1	0.33	0	0	5	5	1.67	1	0	4.5	1.50
TOTAL		3 - 2	2	0.67	0	4	.500	0	0.00	0	0.00	1	1	0.33	0	0	5	5	1.67	1	0	4.5	1.50



# #23 | CAM BERGER

(SHE/THEY)  
SETTER  
SOPHOMORE  
EDEN PRAIRIE, MINN. / EDEN PRAIRIE HS  
VITAL VBC

## ABOUT CAMERON

**FRESHMAN (2023):** Enrolled early at Michigan State in January 2023 and practiced with the team throughout the spring ... Named to All-Tournament Team at Kathy DeBoer Invitational ... Led team with 6.34 assists per set which ranked #9 by an MSU freshman all-time ... Posted 374 assists which ranked second on the team.

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Placed fifth in the open bracket of the 2023 USAV 18s Junior National Championship ... Named to the American Volleyball Coaches Association (AVCA) All-Region team (Nebraska, Minnesota, South Dakota, North Dakota) ... Played five seasons at Eden Prairie High School earning All-State (2022, 2021) and All-Conference (2022, 2021, 2020) honors for the Eagles playing in Class AAAA ... Served as a team captain during the 2022 campaign ... Named a Second Team AVCA Girls High School All-American ... Top 100 recruit in the Class of 2023 by PrepDig ... Berger has a twin brother, Adam, who is a practice player for the MSU volleyball team.

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #23 BERGER, Cameron

			Attack				Set			Serve				Recept		Blocking				Team					
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
09/07/2024	Marist	1	0	0	0	.000	5	6	.833	0	1	7	.857	0	1	1.000	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.382	3-0
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	2	0	0	1	.000	13	31	.419	1	2	12	.833	0	0	.000	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.202	0-3
Totals		3	0	0	1	.000	18	37	.486	1	3	19	.842	0	1	1.000	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0		

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
3	0.00	6.00	0.33	0.67	0.00	0.33



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Assists:.....13, vs. Western Michigan, Sept. 11

### CAREER HIGHS

Assists:.....35, at UConn, Sept. 15, 2023  
Blocks:.....2, 3x, last vs. UNC, Sept. 10, 2023  
Digs: .....9, at Northwestern, Sept. 29, 2023  
Aces:.....2, 4x, last at Rutgers, Nov. 18, 2023  
Kills:.....3, vs. UNC, Sept. 10, 2023

## CAREER STATISTICS

### BERGER, Cameron

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2023-24	MSU	59-20	11	0.19	7	37	.108	374	6.34	15	0.25	31	87	1.47	0	0	8	8	0.14	4	2	30.0	0.51
2024-25	MSU	3-2	0	0.00	0	1	.000	18	6.00	1	0.33	3	2	0.67	0	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	1.0	0.33
TOTAL		62 - 22	11	0.18	7	38	.105	392	6.32	16	0.26	34	89	1.44	0	0	8	8	0.13	4	2	31.0	0.50



# #25 | JULIA BISHOP

(SHE/HER)  
SETTER  
SENIOR  
DEARBON, MICH. / MERCY HS  
Michigan Elite

## ABOUT JULIA

Three-Time Team Captain (2022, 2023, 2024) joining Nikki Colson (01-03), Katie Johnson (05-07), Kori Moster (12-14)

**JUNIOR (2023):** Academic All-District ... Academic All-BIG ... BIG Sportsmanship honoree ... Appeared in 92 sets, playing in 25 matches and making 22 starts ... Led the team with 524 assists splitting time in a 6-2 system ... Averaged 5.70 assists per set which ranked second on the team ... Posted a career-high seven kills against Tulsa (8/26) ... Had career-best 18 digs against Northwestern (9/29).

**SOPHOMORE (2022):** Academic All-District ... Academic All-BIG ... BIG Distinguished Scholar ... Appeared in 74 sets, playing in 22 matches and making 10 starts for the Spartans ... Finished season with 257 assists on 3.47 assists per set ... Played in both a 5-1 and 6-2 system with Zoe Nunez ... Ran a 5-1 after injury to Nunez early on ... Recorded season-best 44 assists in win over Maryland on 9/30.

**FRESHMAN (2021):** Played in 23 matches and made 13 starts for the Spartans as a true freshman, ranking second on the team in assists with 310 ... Earned Big Ten Freshman of the Week honors after the road Penn State-Rutgers weekend (11/8) ... Started the match at Purdue (10/20), and had 28 assists and 10 digs in the road upset, her first career double-double ... Had career bests in assists (51), digs (16), kills (5), blocks (3) and hit .625 in a five-setter at Penn State (11/6).

## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #25 BISHOP, Julia

			Attack				Set			Serve				Recept			Blocking				Team					
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE	
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	*4	0	0	3	.000	14	47	.298	0	1	14	.929	0	1	1.000	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.156	1-3	
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	4	2	0	2	1.000	17	51	.333	0	0	14	1.000	0	0	.000	4	0	0	0	0.0	0	2.0	.197	3-1	
09/01/2024	vs Florida	3	1	0	1	1.000	15	48	.313	0	1	13	.923	0	1	1.000	9	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.206	0-3	
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	2	0	0	0	.000	9	12	.750	0	0	5	1.000	0	0	.000	3	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.297	3-1	
09/07/2024	Marist	3	0	0	0	.000	11	25	.440	2	0	14	1.000	0	0	.000	2	0	0	0	0.0	0	2.0	.382	3-0	
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	3	1	0	2	.500	11	29	.379	0	2	12	.833	0	0	.000	3	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.262	3-1	
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	3	1	0	1	1.000	6	28	.214	1	1	6	.833	0	0	.000	4	0	0	0	0.0	0	2.0	.202	0-3	
09/16/2024	at Eastern Mich.	*3	2	0	3	.667	17	34	.500	2	0	16	1.000	0	0	.000	12	0	0	0	0.0	0	4.0	.257	3-0	
09/17/2024	Purdue Fort Wayne	4	0	1	2	.500	23	64	.359	0	1	21	.952	0	0	.000	18	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.282	3-1	
09/20/2024	at Duke	5	0	0	2	.000	19	39	.487	0	1	16	.938	0	1	1.000	5	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.268	3-2	
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	4	0	0	4	.000	20	51	.392	1	1	17	.941	0	0	.000	5	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.238	1-3	
09/27/2024	at Michigan	3	0	0	1	.000	16	48	.333	0	0	16	1.000	0	2	1.000	11	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.071	0-3	
09/29/2024	at Penn St.	*4	3	1	11	.182	33	100	.330	1	2	20	.900	0	0	.000	7	0	1	1	1.0	0	4.5	.176	1-3	
Totals			45	10	2	32	.250	211	576	.366	7	10	184	.946	0	5	1.000	85	0	1	1	1.0	0	17.5		

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
45	0.22	4.69	0.16	1.89	0.02	0.39



## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Assists:.....33 at Penn State, Sept. 29  
Digs:.....18, vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17  
Kills:.....3, vs. Penn State, Sept. 29

### CAREER HIGHS

Kills:.....7, vs. Tulsa, Aug. 26, 2023  
Assists:.....51, at Penn St., Nov. 6, 2021  
Aces:.....3, 3x, last vs. Indiana, Nov. 24, 2023  
Digs:..18, 2x, last vs. Purdue Fort Wayne, Sept. 17, 2024  
Blocks:.....4, at Penn State, Oct. 2, 2022

## CAREER STATISTICS

### BISHOP, Julia

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2021-22	MSU	67-23	27	0.40	1	48	.542	310	4.63	8	0.12	5	96	1.43	1	0	7	7	0.10	4	2	38.5	0.57
2022-23	MSU	74-22	35	0.47	9	75	.347	257	3.47	11	0.15	16	78	1.05	4	1	15	16	0.22	3	3	54.5	0.74
2023-24	MSU	92-25	25	0.27	5	56	.357	524	5.70	16	0.17	25	182	1.98	0	1	3	4	0.04	3	4	43.5	0.47
2024-25	MSU	45-13	10	0.22	2	32	.250	211	4.69	7	0.16	10	85	1.89	0	0	1	1	0.02	1	0	17.5	0.39
TOTAL		278 - 83	97	0.35	17	211	.379	1302	4.68	42	0.15	56	441	1.59	5	2	26	28	0.10	11	9	154.0	0.55



# #33 | MYA BOLTON

(SHE/HER)  
DS/L  
FRESHMAN  
SHAWNEE, KAN. / ST. JAMES ACADEMY  
KC POWER VBC

## ABOUT MYA

PRONUNCIATION: MY-uh

**PRIOR TO MSU:** Named a Second Team AVCA (American Volleyball Coaches Association) All-American as a senior ... Earned Second Team All-State as a senior (2023), First Team All-State as a junior (2022) and Second Team All-State as a sophomore (2021) ... Ranked as the No. 127 overall recruit via PrepVolleyball and was the No. 16-ranked DS/L recruit ... PrepDig ranked Bolton No. 134 overall.

**PERSONAL:** Daughter of Cristy and Brady Bolton ... Has two siblings, Ellie and Aidan ... Ellie is a libero on the Southern Methodist volleyball team and Aidan is a men's practice player at Kansas.



## 2024 MATCH-BY-MATCH

### #33 BOLTON, Mya

		Attack					Set			Serve				Recept			Blocking					Team			
Date	Opponent	SP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	TA	PCT	SA	SE	TA	PCT	RE	TA	PCT	DIG	BS	BA	BE	TOTAL	BHE	POINTS	HIT%	SCORE
08/30/2024	at Northern Colo.	4	0	0	0	.000	1	6	.167	2	2	8	.750	2	23	.913	6	0	0	0	0.0	0	2.0	.156	1-3
08/31/2024	at Colorado St.	3	0	0	0	.000	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	1	13	.923	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.197	3-1
09/01/2024	vs Florida	1	0	0	0	.000	0	1	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	1	1.000	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.206	0-3
09/06/2024	Western Ky.	4	0	0	0	.000	1	3	.333	0	3	12	.750	1	14	.929	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.297	3-1
09/07/2024	Marist	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	1	0	3	1.000	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	0.0	0	1.0	.382	3-0
09/08/2024	Loyola Chicago	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	1	2	.500	0	3	1.000	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.262	3-1
09/11/2024	Western Mich.	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	6	1.000	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.202	0-3
09/20/2024	at Duke	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	5	1.000	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.268	3-2
09/22/2024	at North Carolina	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	.000	0	0	0	.000	0	3	1.000	0	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.238	1-3
09/29/2024	at Penn St.	4	0	0	0	.000	0	3	.000	0	1	9	.889	2	22	.909	4	0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	.176	1-3
Totals		23	0	0	0	.000	2	14	.143	3	7	34	.794	6	90	.933	14	0	0	0	0.0	0	3.0		

### Player Averages

Sets Played	Kills per set	Assists per set	Service aces per set	Digs per set	Blocks per set	Points per set
23	0.00	0.09	0.13	0.61	0.00	0.13

## SEASON/CAREER HIGHS

### 2024 SEASON HIGHS

Digs:.....6, at Northern Colorado, Aug. 30  
Aces:.....2, at Northern Colorado, Aug. 30

### CAREER HIGHS

Digs:.....6, at Northern Colorado, Aug. 30, 2024  
Aces:.....2, at Northern Colorado, Aug. 30, 2024

## CAREER STATISTICS

### BOLTON, Mya

SEASON	TEAM	SM-MP	K	K/S	E	TA	PCT	A	A/S	SA	SA/S	SE	DIG	D/S	RE	BS	BA	TB	B/S	BE	BHE	PTS	PTS/S
2024-25	MSU	23-10	0	0.00	0	0	.000	2	0.09	3	0.13	7	14	0.61	6	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	3.0	0.13
TOTAL		23 - 10	0	0.00	0	0	.000	2	0.09	3	0.13	7	14	0.61	6	0	0	0	0.00	0	0	3.0	0.13

# 2024 MICHIGAN STATE RADIO/TV ROSTER



**1** **NALANI IOSIA**  
(nuh-LAW-knee yo-SEE-uh)  
Sr. • DS/L • 5-8  
Long Beach, Calif.



**2** **KAROLINA STANISZEWSKA**  
(care-oh-LEE-nuh stanis-SHEF-ska)  
SO. • OH • 6-0  
Warsaw, Poland



**3** **AKASHA ANDERSON**  
(uh-KAH-shuh)  
Jr. • OH • 6-3  
Reston, Va.



**4** **DANYLE COURTLEY**  
(DANIELLE)  
Grad. • OH • 6-1  
Katy, Texas



**5** **KY CLAYTON**  
(KYE)  
So. • DS/L • 5-6  
Lee's Summit, Mo.



**6** **NIL OKUR**  
(KNEEL / oh-KOOR)  
Jr. • MB • 6-1  
Istanbul, Turkey



**7** **TAYLOR PRESTON**  
Jr. • OH • 6-2  
Union, Ky.



**8** **MIA HOOD**  
(ME-uh)  
Fr. • MB • 6-6  
Roswell, Ga.



**9** **ZUZANNA KULIG**  
(zoo-ZON-uh KOOL-igg)  
So. • MB • 6-4  
Chrzanow, Poland



**10** **KAYLA FOLEY**  
Fr. • DS/L • 5-94  
Virginia Beach, Va.



**11** **AVERY HOREJSI**  
(hor-AY-she)  
Sr. • DS/L • 5-4  
White Lake, Mich.



**12** **EVIE DOEZEEMA**  
(EHV-ee DUE-zuh-muh)  
Jr. • MB • 6-3  
Grand Rapids, Mich.



**13** **ALIYAH MOORE**  
(uh-LEE-uh)  
Sr. • OH • 5-9  
Surprise, Ariz.



**14** **TAYLAH HOLDEM**  
(TAY-luh HOLD-um)  
So. • OH • 6-2  
Christchurch, New Zealand



**16** **GRACE KELLY**  
Sr. • OH • 6-0  
Alexandria, Va.



**18** **RACHEL MUISENGA**  
(MY-zing-uh)  
Sr. • S • 6-1  
Wheaton, Ill.



**21** **KAYA HOOD**  
(KYE-uh)  
Sr. • MB • 6-5  
Roswell, Ga.



**22** **CARMEN WAYE**  
Fr. • MB • 6-2  
Halifax, Nova Scotia



**23** **CAM BERGER**  
So. • S • 5-11  
Eden Prairie, Minn.



**25** **JULIA BISHOP**  
Sr. • S • 5-11  
Dearborn, Mich.



**33** **MYA BOLTON**  
Fr. • DS/L • 5-4  
Shawnee, Kan.



**LEAH JOHNSON**  
Third season at MSU  
13th season overall