

# 2025 UCLA WOMEN'S SOCCER

## 2025 QUICK FACTS

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| Location                          | Los Angeles, CA  |
| Athletic Dept. Address            | 325 Westwood Plaza<br>Los Angeles, CA 90095  |
| Athletics Phone                   | (310) 825-8699   |
| Ticket Office                     | (310) UCLA-WIN   |
| Soccer Office Phone               | (310) 794-6443   |
| Chancellor                        | Dr. Julio Frenk  |
| Director of Athletics             | Martin Jarmond   |
| Sr. Women's Administrator         | Dr. Christina Rivera   |
| Sport Administrator               | Erin Adkins  |
| Faculty Athletic Rep.             | Dr. Michael Teitell  |
| Home Field (Capacity)             | Wallis Annenberg Stadium (2,145)   |
| Enrollment                        | 46,676   |
| Founded                           | 1919   |
| Colors                            | Blue and Gold  |
| Nickname                          | Bruins   |
| Conference                        | Big Ten  |
| National Affiliation              | NCAA Division I  |
| Head Coach                        | Margueritte Aozasa (Santa Clara '12)   |
| Record at UCLA (Years)            | 55-8-5 (3)   |
| Career Record (Years)             | 55-8-5 (3)   |
| Associate Head Coach              | Gof Boyoko (UCSB '13)  |
| Assistant Coach                   | Molly Poletto (Utah '15)   |
| Assistant Coach                   | Molly Feighan (Virginia Tech '21)  |
| 2024 Record                       | 17-4-3   |
| 2024 Conference Record (Finish)   | 8-1-2 (2nd/1st Tmry.)  |
| 2024 NCAA Tournament              | NCAA Second Round  |
| 2024 Final National Ranking       | 18th   |
| NCAA Championships                | 2 (2013, 2022)   |
| All-Time College Cup Appearances  | 12 (2000, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2013, 2017, 2019, 2022)                        |
| All-Time Conference Championships | 15 (1997, 1998, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2013, 2014, 2020, 2021, 2023, 2024 tmy.) |

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## 2025 SCHEDULE

| Date                 | Opponent                           | Location                        | Time (PT)        |
|----------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|
| <b>Sat. Aug. 9</b>   | <b>LMU (exhibition)</b>            | <b>Wallis Annenberg Stadium</b> | <b>6:00 p.m.</b> |
| Thu. Aug. 14         | at Georgia (TV: ESPN)              | Athens, Ga.                     | 4:30 p.m.        |
| <b>Wed. Aug. 20</b>  | <b>Tennessee (TV: B1G+)</b>        | <b>Wallis Annenberg Stadium</b> | <b>7:00 p.m.</b> |
| Sat. Aug. 23         | at BYU                             | Provo, Utah                     | 6:00 p.m.        |
| <b>Fri. Aug. 29</b>  | <b>Long Beach State (TV: B1G+)</b> | <b>Wallis Annenberg Stadium</b> | <b>7:00 p.m.</b> |
| Thu. Sept. 4         | at Portland (TV: ESPN+)            | Portland, Ore.                  | 7:00 p.m.        |
| <b>Sun. Sept. 7</b>  | <b>Stanford (TV: B1G+)</b>         | <b>Wallis Annenberg Stadium</b> | <b>1:00 p.m.</b> |
| <b>Sat. Sept. 13</b> | <b>Oregon* (TV: B1G+)</b>          | <b>Wallis Annenberg Stadium</b> | <b>6:00 p.m.</b> |
| Thu. Sept. 18        | at Michigan State* (TV: BTN)       | East Lansing, Mich.             | 5:00 p.m.        |
| Sun. Sept. 21        | at Michigan* (TV: B1G+)            | Ann Arbor, Mich.                | 10:00 a.m.       |
| <b>Thu. Sept. 25</b> | <b>Rutgers* (TV: BTN)</b>          | <b>Wallis Annenberg Stadium</b> | <b>7:30 p.m.</b> |
| <b>Sun. Sept. 28</b> | <b>Maryland* (TV: B1G+)</b>        | <b>Wallis Annenberg Stadium</b> | <b>1:00 p.m.</b> |
| Sat. Oct. 4          | at Washington* (TV: B1G+)          | Seattle, Wash.                  | 6:00 p.m.        |
| Thu. Oct. 9          | at Wisconsin* (TV: B1G+)           | Madison, Wisc.                  | 4:00 p.m.        |
| Sun. Oct. 12         | at Minnesota* (TV: B1G+)           | Minneapolis, Minn.              | 11:00 a.m.       |
| <b>Thu. Oct. 16</b>  | <b>Iowa* (TV: B1G+)</b>            | <b>Wallis Annenberg Stadium</b> | <b>6:00 p.m.</b> |
| <b>Sun. Oct. 19</b>  | <b>Nebraska* (TV: B1G+)</b>        | <b>Wallis Annenberg Stadium</b> | <b>1:00 p.m.</b> |
| <b>Sun. Oct. 26</b>  | <b>USC* (TV: BTN)</b>              | <b>Wallis Annenberg Stadium</b> | <b>2:00 p.m.</b> |
| TBD                  | Big Ten Conference Tournament      | TBD                             | TBD              |
| Nov. 13-15           | NCAA First Round                   | TBD                             | TBD              |
| Fri., Nov. 21        | NCAA Second Round                  | TBD                             | TBD              |
| Sun., Nov. 23        | NCAA Third Round                   | TBD                             | TBD              |
| Nov. 28-30           | NCAA Quarterfinals                 | TBD                             | TBD              |
| Dec. 5 & 8           | NCAA College Cup                   | Kansas City, Mo.                | TBD              |

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*On the cover: Redshirt seniors Emma Egizii and Lexi Wright*

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## RADIO/TV ROSTER



**#0 Daphne  
NAKFOOR**

5-9/Fr./GK/Carlsbad, Calif.



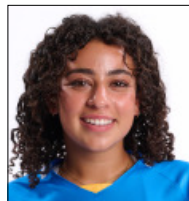
**#1 Layla  
ARMAS**

5-9/So./GK/San Ramon, Calif.



**#2 Jordyn  
DUNN**

5-8/Fr./D/Rancho Cucamonga, Calif.



**#3 Laila  
EDRIS**

5-2/Fr./MF/Mountain View, Calif.



**#4 Sammy  
SANCHEZ**

5-2/So./F/San Jose, Calif.



**#5 Milla  
SHAFIE**

5-6/Jr./MF/Los Gatos, Calif.



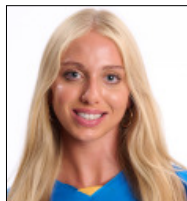
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SHANK**

5-7/Fr./MF/McLean, Va.



**#7 Paloma  
DAUBERT**

5-6/So./D/Rescue, Calif.



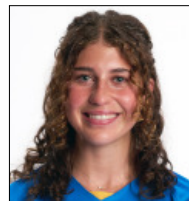
**#8 Siena  
MEYER**

5-9/Fr./D/Thousand Oaks, Calif.



**#9 Sofia  
ATEHORTUA**

5-2/Fr./MF/Trumbull, Conn.



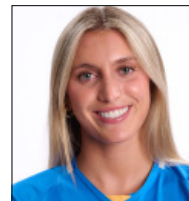
**#10 Emma  
EGIZII**

5-4/RSr./MF/Downey, Calif.



**#11 America  
FRIAS**

5-6/Sr./F/San Jose, Calif.



**#12 Jordan  
GEIS**

5-10/So./F/San Jose, Calif.



**#13 Cassidy  
DOOGAN**

5-2/Fr./D/Carlsbad, Calif.



**#14 Val  
VARGAS**

5-6/Jr./F/Pico Rivera, Calif.



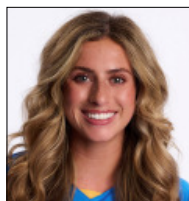
**#15 Jennie  
IMMETHUN**

5-5/Sr./D/San Jose, Calif.



**#16 Leena  
POWELL**

5-6/Fr./F/Culver City, Calif.



**#17 Lexi  
WRIGHT**

5-6/RSr./F/Carlsbad, Calif.



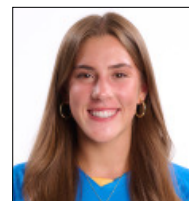
**#18 Avery  
ROBINSON**

5-6/So./MF/St. Johns, Fla.



**#19 Oruha  
HAYASHI**

5-3/Jr./F/Toyooka, Japan



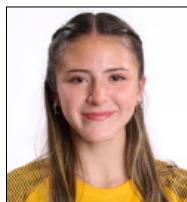
**#20 Bella  
WINN**

5-9/So./F/Ridgewood, N.J.



**#21 Lily  
BOYDEN**

5-6/Sr./F/Salt Lake City, Utah



**#22 Mariangela  
MEDINA**

6-0/So./GK/Salttillo, Mexico



**#23 Kara  
CROONE**

5-7/So./F/Brookhaven, Ga.



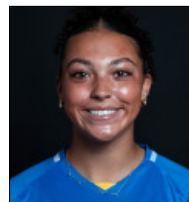
**#24 Payten  
COOPER**

5-3/Fr./F/Plano, Texas



**#25 Nicki  
FRASER**

5-10/So./D/Highlands Ranch, Colo.



**#26 Meila  
BREWER**

5-8/Fr./D/Overland Park, Kans.



**#28 Julia  
MOLNAR**

5-4/Fr./MF/San Clemente, Calif.



**#41 Bridgette  
MARIN-VALENCIA**

5-5/Sr./F/San Francisco, Calif.



**Margueritte  
AOZASA**

Head Coach



**Gof  
BOYOKO**

Associate Head Coach



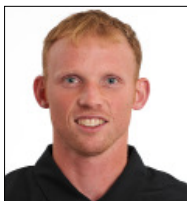
**Molly  
POLETTA**

Assistant Coach



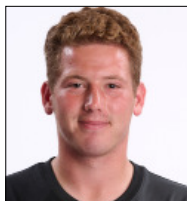
**Molly  
FEIGHAN**

Assistant Coach



**Brendan  
O'SHEA**

Athletic Performance Coach



**Sam  
FRIEDMAN**

Graduate Manager

### Pronunciation Guide

Sofia Atehortua ..... ah-tay-or-TWO-uh  
 Meila Brewer ..... MEE-luh  
 Kara Croone ..... CARE-uh  
 Paloma Daubert ..... pah-LOME-uh doh-BEAR  
 Laila Edris ..... LAY-luh ED-riss  
 Emma Egizii ..... ee-JEE-zee  
 America Frias ..... FREE-oss  
 Jordan Geis ..... GICE (rhymes with ice)  
 Oruha Hayashi ..... or-oo-HA high-YA-she  
 Jennie Immethun ..... IM-uh-thin  
 Bridgette Marin-Valencia ..... muh-RIN  
 Mariangela Medina ..... ma-ree-AHN-heh-la  
 Julia Molnar ..... MOLE-nar  
 Daphne Nakfoor ..... KNACK-four  
 Milla Shafie ..... MEE-luh SHAFF-ee

Margueritte Aozasa ..... Marg-uh-REET oww-uh-ZAH-suh  
 Gof Boyoko ..... GOFF boy-OH-co  
 Molly Feighan ..... FAY-in

## NUMERICAL ROSTER

| No. | Name                     | Pos. | Ht.  | Yr.  | Hometown (High School/College)                                |
|-----|--------------------------|------|------|------|---|
| 0   | Daphne Nakfoor           | GK   | 5-9  | Fr.  | Carlsbad, Calif. (JSerra Catholic HS)                         |
| 1   | Layla Armas              | GK   | 5-9  | So.  | San Ramon, Calif. (California HS)                             |
| 2   | Jordyn Dunn              | D    | 5-8  | Fr.  | Rancho Cucamonga, Calif. (Rancho Cucamonga HS)                |
| 3   | Laila Edris              | MF   | 5-2  | Fr.  | Mountain View, Calif. (Mountain View HS)                      |
| 4   | Sammy Sanchez            | F    | 5-2  | So.  | San Jose, Calif. (Independence HS)                            |
| 5   | Milla Shafie             | MF   | 5-6  | Jr.  | Los Altos, Calif. (Homestead HS)                              |
| 6   | Grace Shank              | MF   | 5-7  | Fr.  | McLean, Va. (Georgetown Visitation Preparatory School)        |
| 7   | Paloma Daubert           | D    | 5-6  | So.  | Rescue, Calif. (Ponderosa HS)                                 |
| 8   | Siena Meyer              | D    | 5-9  | Fr.  | Thousand Oaks, Calif. (Newbury Park HS)                       |
| 9   | Sofia Atehortua          | MF   | 5-2  | Fr.  | Trumbull, Conn. (IMG Academy)                                 |
| 10  | Emma Egizii              | MF   | 5-4  | RSr. | Downey, Calif. (Warren HS)                                    |
| 11  | America Frias            | F    | 5-6  | Sr.  | San Jose, Calif. (Leigh HS)                                   |
| 12  | Jordan Geis              | F    | 5-10 | So.  | San Jose, Calif. (Archbishop Mitty HS)                        |
| 13  | Cassidy Doogan           | D    | 5-2  | Fr.  | Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad HS)                                |
| 14  | Val Vargas               | MF   | 5-6  | Jr.  | Pico Rivera, Calif. (Downey HS)                               |
| 15  | Jennie Immethun          | D    | 5-5  | Sr.  | San Jose, Calif. (Piedmont Hills HS/TCU)                      |
| 16  | Leena Powell             | F    | 5-6  | Fr.  | Culver City, Calif. (Culver City HS)                          |
| 17  | Lexi Wright              | F    | 5-6  | RSr. | Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad HS)                                |
| 18  | Avery Robinson           | MF   | 5-6  | So.  | St. Johns, Fla. (Creekside HS)                                |
| 19  | Oruha Hayashi            | F    | 5-3  | Jr.  | Toyooka, Japan (Hinomoto HS/Iowa Western)                     |
| 20  | Bella Winn               | F    | 5-9  | So.  | Ridgewood, N.J. (Ridgewood HS)                                |
| 21  | Lily Boyden              | F    | 5-6  | Sr.  | Salt Lake City, Utah (Skyline HS/Washington State University) |
| 22  | Mariangela Medina        | GK   | 6-0  | So.  | Saltillo, Mexico (American School of Saltillo)                |
| 23  | Kara Croone              | F    | 5-7  | So.  | Brookhaven, Ga. (Chamblee HS)                                 |
| 24  | Payten Cooper            | F    | 5-3  | Fr.  | Plano, Texas (Plano East HS)                                  |
| 25  | Nicki Fraser             | D    | 5-10 | So.  | Highlands Ranch, Colo. (Rock Canyon HS)                       |
| 26  | Meila Brewer             | D    | 5-8  | Fr.  | Overland Park, Kan. (Blue Valley HS)                          |
| 28  | Julia Molnar             | MF   | 5-4  | Fr.  | San Clemente, Calif. (Edgenuity Virtual Academy)              |
| 41  | Bridgette Marin-Valencia | F    | 5-5  | Sr.  | San Francisco, Calif. (Immaculate Conception Academy)         |

## ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

| No. | Name                     | Pos. | Ht.  | Yr.  | Hometown (High School/College)                                |
|-----|--------------------------|------|------|------|---|
| 1   | Layla Armas              | GK   | 5-9  | So.  | San Ramon, Calif. (California HS)                             |
| 9   | Sofia Atehortua          | MF   | 5-2  | Fr.  | Trumbull, Conn. (IMG Academy)                                 |
| 21  | Lily Boyden              | F    | 5-6  | Sr.  | Salt Lake City, Utah (Skyline HS/Washington State University) |
| 26  | Meila Brewer             | D    | 5-8  | Fr.  | Overland Park, Kan. (Blue Valley HS)                          |
| 24  | Payten Cooper            | F    | 5-3  | Fr.  | Plano, Texas (Plano East HS)                                  |
| 23  | Kara Croone              | F    | 5-7  | So.  | Brookhaven, Ga. (Chamblee HS)                                 |
| 7   | Paloma Daubert           | D    | 5-6  | So.  | Rescue, Calif. (Ponderosa HS)                                 |
| 13  | Cassidy Doogan           | D    | 5-2  | Fr.  | Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad HS)                                |
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| 0   | Daphne Nakfoor           | GK   | 5-9  | Fr.  | Carlsbad, Calif. (JSerra Catholic HS)                         |
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| 18  | Avery Robinson           | MF   | 5-6  | So.  | St. Johns, Fla. (Creekside HS)                                |
| 4   | Sammy Sanchez            | F    | 5-2  | So.  | San Jose, Calif. (Independence HS)                            |
| 5   | Milla Shafie             | MF   | 5-6  | Jr.  | Los Altos, Calif. (Homestead HS)                              |
| 6   | Grace Shank              | MF   | 5-7  | Fr.  | McLean, Va. (Georgetown Visitation Preparatory School)        |
| 14  | Val Vargas               | MF   | 5-6  | Jr.  | Pico Rivera, Calif. (Downey HS)                               |
| 20  | Bella Winn               | F    | 5-9  | So.  | Ridgewood, N.J. (Ridgewood HS)                                |
| 17  | Lexi Wright              | F    | 5-6  | RSr. | Carlsbad, Calif. (Carlsbad HS)                                |

### Team Staff

**Head Coach:** Margueritte Aozasa (4th Year, Santa Clara '12)  
**Assoc. Head Coach:** Gof Boyoko (4th Year, UCSB '13)  
**Asst. Coach:** Molly Poletto (4th Year, Utah '15)  
**Asst. Coach:** Molly Feighan (2nd Year, Virginia Tech '22)  
**Athletic Performance Coach:** Brendan O'Shea  
**Graduate Manager:** Sam Friedman (1st Year, UCLA '25)

## ROSTER BREAKDOWN

### Class

**Freshmen (11):** Atehortua, Brewer, Cooper, Doogan, Dunn, Edris, Meyer, Molnar, Nakfoor, Powell, Shank

**Sophomores (9):** Armas, Croone, Daubert, Fraser, Geis, Medina, Robinson, Sanchez, Winn

**Juniors (3):** Hayashi, Shafie, Vargas

**Seniors (6):** Boyden, Egizii, Frias, Immethun, Marin-Valencia, Wright

### Position

**Goalkeepers (3):** Armas, Medina, Nakfoor

**Defenders (7):** Brewer, Daubert, Doogan, Dunn, Fraser, Immethun, Meyer

**Midfielders (8):** Atehortua, Edris, Egizii, Molnar, Robinson, Shafie, Shank, Vargas

**Forwards (11):** Boyden, Cooper, Croone, Frias, Geis, Hayashi, Marin-Valencia, Powell, Sanchez, Winn, Wright

### State

**California (18):** Armas, Daubert, Doogan, Dunn, Edris, Egizii, Frias, Geis, Immethun, Marin-Valencia, Meyer, Molnar, Nakfoor, Powell, Sanchez, Shafie, Vargas, Wright

**Colorado (1):** Fraser

**Connecticut (1):** Atehortua

**Florida (1):** Robinson

**Georgia (1):** Croone

**Kansas (1):** Brewer

**New Jersey (1):** Winn

**Texas (1):** Cooper

**Utah (1):** Boyden

**Virginia (1):** Shank

### International

**Japan (1):** Hayashi

**Mexico (1):** Medina

### Pronunciation Guide

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 Kara Croone ..... CARE-uh  
 Paloma Daubert ..... pah-LOME-uh doh-BEAR  
 Laila Edris ..... LAY-luh ED-riss  
 Emma Egizii ..... ee-JEE-zee  
 America Frias ..... FREE-oss  
 Jordan Geis ..... GICE (rhymes with ice)  
 Oruha Hayashi ..... or-oo-HA high-YA-she  
 Jennie Immethun ..... IM-uh-thin  
 Bridgette Marin-Valencia ..... muh-RIN  
 Mariangela Medina ..... ma-ree-AHN-heh-la  
 Julia Molnar ..... MOLE-nar  
 Daphne Nakfoor ..... KNACK-four  
 Milla Shafie ..... MEE-luh SHAFF-ee

Margueritte Aozasa ..... Marg-uh-REET oww-uh-ZAH-suh  
 Gof Boyoko ..... GOFF boy-OH-co  
 Molly Feighan ..... FAY-in



# MARGUERITTE AOZASA

Head Coach  
Fourth Season  
Santa Clara '12

In just three years as head coach at UCLA, Margueritte Aozasa has won a national championship and two conference titles. In her first season in 2022, she made history by becoming the first rookie head coach and first woman of color ever to win the NCAA Division I Women's Soccer championship.

As UCLA's head coach, Aozasa owns a 55-8-5 overall record and 27-3-3 conference record. She earned her 50th career victory in just her 60th game on Oct. 13, 2024.

Aozasa was hired in December 2021 as the sixth head coach in UCLA women's soccer history and promptly guided her team to the program's second NCAA Championship and a school record-tying 22 victories while leading the United Soccer Coaches National Staff of the Year. The first-year head coach led UCLA to a No. 1 national ranking for the final nine weeks of the season, with the Bruins ascending to the top after a road sweep of No. 2 Duke and No. 1 North Carolina on Labor Day weekend. The Bruins began the year by winning their first 13 games, setting a new school record for best start to a season. After UCLA finished the regular season with a 17-2 record, Aozasa was voted the Pac-12 Coach of the Year, becoming the first rookie head coach ever to win the honor. Aozasa coached the 2022 Pac-12 Defender of the Year Lilly Reale, who went on to become UCLA's third Honda Sport Award winner.

In 2023, Aozasa won her first conference team title and second consecutive Pac-12 Coach of the Year award, as the Bruins finished the season with a 16-2-1 record. During UCLA's inaugural season in the Big Ten Conference in 2024, Aozasa's Bruins ran through the conference tournament with three shutout victories, culminating in a 5-0 win over Rutgers in the championship final. The five runs scored were a Big Ten championship game record.

Producing professional players has also been a strong suit for Aozasa. A total of 20 Bruins coached by Aozasa are currently playing professionally, including 10 players from the 2024 squad.

Aozasa has also coached at the U.S. Youth National Team level. Following the 2022 collegiate season, she joined the coaching staff of the U.S. Under-23 National Team as an assistant coach for a training camp in France in February 2023, and as the head coach of the U-23s at the Thorns Preseason Tournament in March 2023. In the June of 2024, she was an assistant coach for the U.S. U-20 team at the Concacaf Championships, as they qualified for the FIFA Under-20 World Cup.

As an assistant coach at Stanford from 2015-21, Aozasa coached the Cardinal to great success, including NCAA Championships in 2017 and 2019 and Pac-12 titles from 2015-19. The 2018 team also reached the College Cup. Stanford's record during Aozasa's time on the Farm was 125-19-8, with the Cardinal posting a +318 goal differential (412 goals for, 94 goals against).

Two of her Stanford athletes won the Hermann Trophy in three consecutive years from 2017-2019 - Andi Sullivan (2017) and Catarina Macario (2018, 2019) - and four Cardinal players were selected as the No. 1 pick in the NWSL Draft - Sullivan in 2018, Tierna Davidson in 2019, Sophia Smith in 2020 and Naomi Girma in 2022.

As a recruiter, Aozasa brought in multiple Top 5 recruiting classes, include the No. 2-ranked class of 2022. She coached six U.S. Women's National Team players through their collegiate careers on the Farm - Sullivan, Macario, Davidson, Smith, Alana Cook and Jane Campbell. Additionally, Aozasa coached three players who played on Women's Champion League teams - Macario (Olympique Lyonnais), Cook (PSG) and Kyra Carusa (HB Koge).



Aozasa and the Stanford coaching staff were honored as the 2016 NSCAA Pacific Region Staff of the Year, and Aozasa was selected to the United Soccer Coaches' 30 Under 30 Class in 2018-19.

In addition to coaching at Stanford, Aozasa was the ECNL Head Coach for 10 years at MVLA Soccer Club, which is ranked by Top Drawer Soccer as the No. 6-ranked youth club in the country. Her 02 and 03 MVLA ECNL squads were Champions League teams with a combined 35 players on NCAA Division I rosters.

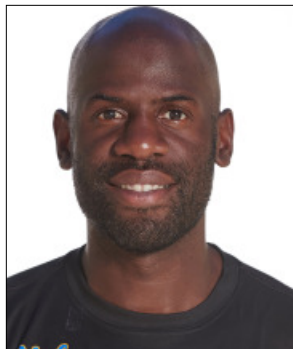
Aozasa was a four-year starter under head coach Jerry Smith at Santa Clara University from 2008-11, playing at midfield and center back and serving as team captain from 2010-11. A WCC All-Academic team member, she graduated from Santa Clara in 2012 with a major in psychology and minors in public health and Spanish. In 2020, she earned a Masters in Coaching and Athletic Administration from Concordia University, Irvine and received her U.S. Soccer "A" Coaching License.

She is one of just four Asian American women currently serving as a head coach for a NCAA women's soccer team.

Aozasa is married to Mykell Bates, who is an assistant coach for Angel City FC. They have a one year-old girl, Akari.

### Career Coaching Record

| Year                  | Overall Record | Conf. Record/Finish             | Postseason  |
|-----------------------|----------------|---------------------------------|---|
| 2022                  | 22-2-1         | 9-2/2nd                         | NCAA Champion   |
| 2023                  | 16-2-1         | 10-0-1/1st                      | NCAA First Rd.  |
| 2024                  | 17-4-3         | 8-1-2/2nd reg. season/1st trny. | NCAA Second Rd.   |
| <b>Totals (3 yrs)</b> | <b>55-8-5</b>  | <b>27-3-3</b>                   | <b>3 NCAA Appearances</b><br><b>1 NCAA Championship</b> |



GOF  
**BOYOKO**

Associate Head Coach  
Fourth Season  
UCSB '13

Gof Boyoko begins his fourth year on the UCLA women's soccer coaching staff and second as associate head coach. He helped lead UCLA to its second NCAA title in 2022, a Pac-12 Conference title in 2023 and a Big Ten Tournament title in 2024.

The Bruins in 2022 tied a school record for single-season victories with 22, and their 13-0 start to the season set a new program record. Boyoko and the Bruin staff earned National and Pacific Region Staff of the Year honors by the United Soccer Coaches. In 2023, the Bruins went 16-2-1 and won the Pac-12 Championship, and in 2024, UCLA swept through the Big Ten Conference Tournament with three shutout victories and a conference record five goals in the championship match.

Boyoko came to UCLA from UC Santa Barbara, where he served as the associate head coach and recruiting coordinator of the women's team from 2017-2021. He helped guide the Gauchos to Big West Tournament appearances in 2017, 2018 and 2021, along with an appearance in the 2018 Big West final. Boyoko also served as associate head coach at Santa Barbara City College from 2014-16, leading the Lady Vaqueros to their first Final Four appearance in 2016 and to the Western State North Conference championship in 2014. His SBCC teams went 39-16-12 in his three seasons.

As head coach of the Santa Barbara Soccer Club from 2012-22, Boyoko has helped multiple athletes move on to collegiate soccer. The club won the Surf Cup championships in 2018 and 2019 and was the Coast Soccer Premier League Champion in 2017.

Boyoko has extensive experience in player development and analytics, as well as recruiting both nationally and internationally.

A former team captain for the UCSB men, Boyoko led the Gauchos in scoring in 2013 with eight goals, including five game-winners, and 19 points. He received All-Big West honors and led the team to a NCAA Tournament appearance. He previously played at Auburn Montgomery and earned NAIA first-team All-America honors as a sophomore in 2011 after scoring 17 goals across 19 games. Boyoko was a member of the INF Clairefontaine Academy in France and has additional playing experience with Paris SG, Lille OSC, Real Mallorca and the French Youth National Team.

The Paris, France native graduated from UCSB in 2013 with a degree in Global & International Studies.



MOLLY  
**POLETTO**

Assistant Coach  
Fourth Season  
Utah '15

Molly Poletto begins her fourth season in 2024 as an assistant coach for UCLA, working with the Bruin goalkeepers and team. In her first three seasons at UCLA, she helped guide UCLA to the program's second national title in 2022, to a Pac-12 Conference title in 2023 and to UCLA's first-ever Big Ten Tournament title in 2024.

The Bruins' 13-0 start to the 2022 season set a new program record, and they went on to tie a school record with 22 victories. Poletto and the Bruin staff earned National and Pacific Region Staff of the Year honors by the United Soccer Coaches. In 2023, the Bruins won the Pac-12 Championship with a 10-0-1 league record. During UCLA's inaugural season in the Big Ten Conference in 2024, the Bruins won the conference tournament with three shutout victories and a Big Ten record five goals in the championship match.

Poletto served as the goalkeeper coach at Missouri (2019-21) and at Boston University (2017-18). In 2021, she helped lead Missouri to a fifth-place finish in the SEC, an improvement of nine spots from the previous year. At BU, the Terriers won the Patriot League in 2018, finishing with an 11-7-4 record and an unbeaten 7-0-2 mark in league play. Poletto was instrumental in guiding the goalkeeping unit to a combined 11 shutouts in 2018. In her first season at BU, her goalkeepers posted a then-record 10 shutouts as the Terriers finished with a 10-8-3 record and reached the Patriot League Tournament semifinals. Under Poletto's tutelage, BU surrendered just 0.86 goals per game and the goalkeepers combined for a .798 save percentage.

After injuries cut her playing career short, Poletto turned to coaching, serving for three seasons as an undergraduate assistant coach at the University of Utah and then a volunteer assistant coach in 2016, when she improved her unit's goals against average from 1.21 to 0.65 with 10 shutouts and a .860 save percentage.

A native of Englewood, Colo., Poletto holds a USSF "B" license and served as an instructor for the USSF "E" licenses. She graduated cum laude from Utah in 2015 with a degree in communications and a minor in psychology and completed her Master's degree in sports psychology in the spring of 2017. She and her wife Dawn Malone reside in Redondo Beach.



**MOLLY  
FEIGHAN**

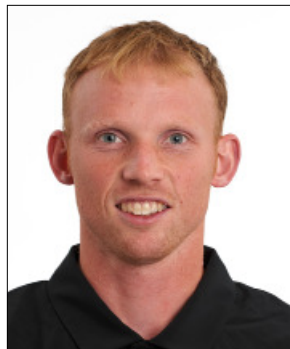
Assistant Coach  
Second Season  
Virginia Tech '21 / St. John's '22

Molly Feighan enters her second year as a full-time assistant coach after spending the 2023 season as a graduate manager while completing her graduate certificate in marketing with UCLA Extension.

In her first season on the coaching staff in 2024, she helped lead UCLA to the Big Ten Tournament Championship and a 17-4-3 overall record. The Bruins rolled through the conference tournament with three shutout victories and scored a conference record five goals in the championship match in a 5-0 win over Rutgers.

Feighan played collegiately at Virginia Tech from 2018-21, totaling 16 points while appearing in 56 games with 28 starts in three seasons. She earned her undergraduate degree in public relations, with a minor in psychology. In 2022, she transferred to St. John's to pursue a graduate degree in sports management. She totaled 95 career games in her five-year career. Feighan, who hails from Pleasant Valley, N.Y., was the 2017-18 Gatorade Girls Soccer New York State Player of the Year.

Feighan's coaching experience includes coaching youth teams at LA Bulls since July 2023. She was also the head coach at FC Westchester and FC Somers in Westchester, N.Y. in 2023. Feighan holds a U.S. Soccer National "C" coaching license.



**BRENDAN  
O'SHEA**

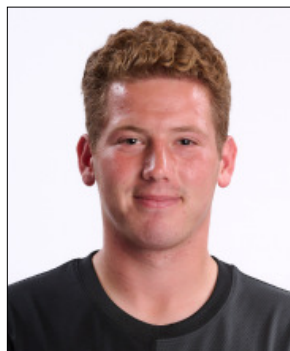
Athletic Performance Coach  
Fourth Season  
Rochester '19 / UCLA '24

Brendan O'Shea joined the Athletic Performance Staff in July of 2022 and begins his third full and fourth overall season with the women's soccer program.

Prior to UCLA, he interned at TD Athletes Edge in Boston, MA. O'Shea also served as an Interim Assistant Strength and Conditioning Coach at Saint Anselm College and was an Assistant Sports Scientist and Athletic Performance Fellow at UC San Diego.

A native of Burlington, VT, O'Shea completed his undergraduate degree at the University of Rochester, majoring in Economics and Political Science. In addition, he was a four-year member of the Yellowjackets basketball team. He earned a Masters of Education in Transformative Coaching and Leadership (TCL), through the UCLA School of Education and Information Studies in June of 2024.

O'Shea is a Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist (CSCS) through the National Strength and Conditioning Association (NSCA).



**SAM  
FRIEDMAN**

Graduate Manager  
First Season  
UCLA '25

Sam Friedman begins his first season as a graduate manager.

Friedman served the 2024 season as a practice player for the Bruins. He played four seasons as a goalkeeper for the UCLA club soccer team, winning the NIRSA National Championships in 2022 and earning runner-up honors while being selected to the all-tournament team in 2024.

Originally from Santa Barbara, Calif., Friedman played club soccer for the Santa Barbara Soccer Club from 2017-21, winning USYS Regionals in 2021. Also in 2021, he helped lead San Marcos HS to its first league title in 20 years, and he earned second-team All-Channel League honors as a junior. Friedman also played four years of varsity tennis.

Friedman is currently working on his USSF coaching license and hopes to focus on the goalkeeper position. He is also a referee working on his progression to be a regional referee for 2026.

A 2025 UCLA graduate in Economics and three-year student intern in the UCLA Athletic Communications office, Friedman is currently studying for a postgraduate marketing certificate.



LAYLA  
**ARMAS**

5-9 / Sophomore  
Goalkeeper  
San Ramon, Calif.  
California HS

**2024**

Served as a backup goalkeeper but did not see action.

**High School/Club**

Lettered all four years in soccer at California HS ... Three-time EBAL honoree, including two first-team selections ... Played club soccer for Mustang SC and served as team captain for six years ... Three-time National Futsal Champions from 2019-2021 ... Named to the ECNL second team ... Chosen for the ECNL Selection game in 2023 ... Played for the NorCal PDP team and captained the team to the 2022 Gothia Cup championship ... Attended the ICC and was captain of ICC West ... Chosen to play in England from the id2 National Selection Tours ... Named to the ODP National team in 2018 ... Played for USL Women's League team Oakland Souls and was named the team's 2023 young player of the year ... Invited to a USYNT ID clinic in San Jose.

**Personal**

Full name is Layla Cherie Armas ... Born in Hayward, Calif. ... Mother is Brandi Armas ... Has an older brother, Richard, older sister, Olivia, and two younger brothers, Mickey and Nathan ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the strong women's soccer program, the wonderful environment and location, prestigious education and history of success ... Athletes she admires include Kaylie Collins and Guillermo Ochoa ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as winning the Gothia Cup in front of thousands of people in Sweden ... Interests include snowboarding, exploring, going on adventures, hanging out at the lake and fashion ... Coached for Mustang SC for five years.



SOFIA  
**ATEHORTUA**

5-2 / Freshman  
Midfielder  
Trumbull, Conn.  
IMG Academy

**National Team**

Has been a member of the U.S. Youth National Teams from the U-15 through U-19 levels ... Most recently selected to the U.S. U-19/U-18 training camp in March 2025 ... Attended several training camps with the U-17 Colombian National Team.

**High School/Club**

Played club soccer with NYSC ... One of the few girls to compete in the MLS Next program ... Capelli Sport + All Star ... Competed against Manchester City, Leicester City and Sheffield United in the UK ... Competed in the Girls Academy League while attending IMG Academy her junior and senior years ... Led her team in goals and helped the team win the Southeast Conference title ... Named to the Girls Academy National ID and received best play recognition.

**Personal**

Born in Providence, R.I. ... Parents are Sandra and Jairo Atehortua ... Has an older brother John Paul and a younger brother Lucas ... Chose to attend UCLA "because of its possession-based style of play, competitive winning culture, knowledgeable and charismatic coaching staff and because I felt it aligned with my goal of continuing to develop as a person and a player" ... Lists her greatest athletic thrill as wearing the U.S. jersey for the first time in matches against Germany and the Netherlands ... Admires Lionel Messi, Andres Iniesta, Ronaldinho, Kevin De Bruyne, Bernardo Silva, Gavi and Aitana Bonmati ... Hobbies are watching soccer, working out, playing sports, reading, singing and playing instruments and learning languages ... Hopes to major in business-economics.



LILY  
**BOYDEN**

5-6 / Senior  
Forward  
Salt Lake City, Utah  
Skyline HS / Washington State University

**2024**

Played in all 24 games and started eight ... Scored a goal in the Big Ten Championship win against Rutgers ... Played the full 90 in games at Pepperdine and Kentucky.

**2023 (Washington State)**

Redshirted the season after suffering a season-ending injury in the spring.

**2022 (Washington State)**

Named to the Pac-12 All-Freshman team after playing in 18 of 19 matches for Washington State ... Listed No. 70 on Top Drawer Soccer's Top 100 Freshmen ... Earned three starts and made her first career start on Aug. 28 against Eastern Washington ... Finished the season with two goals and three assists ... Scored her first career goal on Sept. 11 vs. Cal Poly ... Also scored a goal in the season finale against Washington ... Recorded her first collegiate point with an assist against Denver on Sept. 4 ... Tallied an assist at Saint Mary's on Sept. 18 to mark her third consecutive match with a point.

**U.S. National Team**

Invited to attend the USYNT Virtual Training Camp in 2021.

**High School/Club**

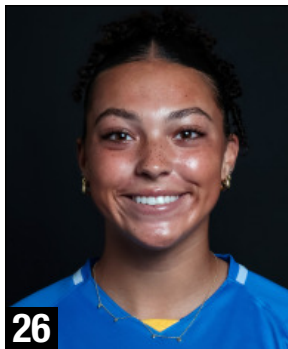
Named Utah's Gatorade Player of the Year in 2021-22 ... High School All-American and the *Deseret News* Ms. Soccer ... First-team all-league and all-state after scoring 34 goals with 12 assists ... Leading Skyline HS to the 2021 5A Championship, No. 6 national ranking and 20-0 record ... Won MVP honors at the 2021 5A Playoffs ... Also a standout runner in track and field at Skyline, where she holds the school records in the 100m, 200m and 400m ... Won the regional championships in the 100m, 200m, 400m, 800m and 4x400m relay ... Named to the track and field Utah All-State Team in the 100m, 200m, 400m and 800m distances ... Skyline HS Athlete of the Year ... Played club soccer for LA Roca FC ... Earned 2022 and 2021 ECNL All-Conference first-team honors in the Northwest ... Named to the Academy Top Scorers List ... Played for the La Roca 2004 ECNL boys team and scored three goals in the Boys State Cup in 2020.

**Personal**

Born in Fairfax, Va. ... Parents are Sarah and Tom Boyden ... Mother Sarah ran track and cross country at BYU ... Has an older brother, Thomas, two younger brothers, Jacob and Alexander, and two younger sisters, Annie and Vivienne ... Brother Thomas runs track and cross country at Stanford, and sister Annie plays soccer at Gonzaga ... Enrolled at UCLA in Winter 2024 ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the perfect "balance between academic, athletic, and social life," the location, the coaching staff and team culture ... Athletes she admires are Christen Press and Lionel Messi ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as winning the state championship her senior year in high school in an undefeated season while playing with her sister ... Interests include reading and traveling ... Psychology major.

**Career Statistics**

| Year       | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|------------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2022 (WSU) | 18-3  | 28    | 2     | 3       | 7      | 0   |
| 2023       |       |       | DNP   |         |        |     |



MEILA  
**BREWER**

5-8 / Freshman  
Defender  
Overland Park, Kan.  
Blue Valley HS

**U.S. National Team**

Member of the U.S. Youth National Team at the U-15 through U-17 level and was also invited to U-20 Training Camp in April 2025 ... Participated in the 2025 4 Nations Tournament with the U-17s ... Helped lead the U.S. to the 2024 U-15 Concacaf Championship.

**High School/Club**

Trained with the KC Current in preseason camp in the winter ... Team captain of KC Athletics, where she was named the club player of the year ... Best XI selection at the 2024 ECNL Championships ... Lettered in track & field for one season as a sprinter ... Graduated early from high school.

**Personal**

Born in Springfield, Mo. and grew up in Roseville, Calif. ... Parents are Austin and Shelly Brewer ... Has an older sister, Sasha, and two younger sisters, Kaiya and Tayla ... Comes from an athletic family - her father played college basketball and was the first four-sport All-State athlete in Colorado history, her mother played college softball, her older sister Sasha plays soccer for the University of Miami, as well as KC Current II with younger sister Kaiya ... Lists her greatest athletic thrill as scoring as the final whistle blew at the U-15 Concacaf Tournament ... Says that UCLA was always a dream school of hers and that "the staff were amazing and really showed they care about the person, not just the athlete" ... Admires track & field star Sydney McLaughlin-Levrone ... Hopes to be an entrepreneur and professional athlete ... Major is undeclared.



PAYTEN  
**COOPER**

5-3 / Freshman  
Forward  
Plano, Texas  
Plano East HS

**High School/Club**

Played three years of soccer and four years of track & field ... Offensive MVP of 6-6A and second-team all-region honors in 2025 ... Earned first-team all-district honors and was named the midfielder of the year in 2024 ... Newcomer of the Year in 2022 ... Played club soccer with Solar Soccer Club and won the national championship in 2023.

**Personal**

Born in Plano, Texas ... Mother is Donnita Gordon ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the campus, environment and welcoming nature of the team ... Greatest athletic thrill is doing celebrations after goals with her teammates ... Admires boxer Terence Crawford and basketball player Anthony Edwards ... Hobbies are fishing, listening to music, baking and watching old soccer games, crime documentaries, baking shows and Animal Kingdom ... Hopes to become a neurologist.



## KARA CROONE

5-7 / Sophomore  
Forward  
Brookhaven, Ga.  
Chamblee HS

### 2024

Played in the last nine games of the season and started in the last five ... Scored her first collegiate goal just over a minute into the NCAA First Round game against Cal Baptist ... Recorded her first point in the Big Ten Championship win over Rutgers, assisting on the game-winning goal ... Made her season debut on Oct. 13 at Illinois.

### U.S. National Team

Played with the U-19s at the L'Albir U-19 Women's International Tournament in February 2025 ... Selected to the U.S. U-19/U-18 training camp in March 2025 ... Invited to attend the U.S. U-17 National Team training camp in June 2023.

### High School/Club

Led Chamblee HS to the 5A State Championships during her sophomore and junior years ... Named the 5A Co-Player of the Year ... Played club soccer for Concorde Fire ... Two-time ECNL Southeast Conference Player of the Year and All-American.

### Personal

Full name is Kara Ashley Croone ... Born in Atlanta, Ga. ... Parents are Tricia and Eric Croone ... Has an older brother, Eric ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the academics, athletics and the coaching staff ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as leading her team to their first state championship, scoring a hat trick in the semifinals ... Athletes she admires include Serena Williams, LeBron James, Lionel Messi, Simone Biles, Kobe Bryant and Kylian Mbappé ... Interests include baking, photography and playing the piano.

### Career Statistics

| Year | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2024 | 9-5   | 11    | 1     | 1       | 3      | 0   |



## PALOMA DAUBERT

5-6 / Sophomore  
Defender  
Rescue, Calif.  
Ponderosa HS

### 2024

Played in 22 games and made 17 starts, logging 1438 minutes ... Started the last 11 games of the season ... Helped UCLA's defense record a nation-leading 16 shutouts and 0.41 goals against average ... Her first collegiate goal was the game-winner against Minnesota ... Assisted on the game-winner against Penn State in the Big Ten quarterfinals.

### U.S. National Team

Played with the U.S. U-19s at the L'Albir U-19 Women's International Tournament in February 2025 ... Invited to the U.S. U-17 National Team training camp in June 2023.

### High School/Club

Played two years at Ponderosa HS, scoring 42 goals with 18 assists ... Two-time league and team MVP ... Played club soccer for San Juan Soccer Club ... Named the 2023 ECNL NorCal U17 Conference Player of the Year and to the ECNL NorCal all-conference first team ... Won the 2022 Gothia Cup championship with the NorCal PDP team ... Member of WPSL team California Storm from 2022-25, winning the 2022 WPSL National Championship and the 2024 Division title ... Named WPSL NorCal Defensive Player of the Year in 2025.

### Personal

Full name is Paloma Mardaux Daubert ... Born in Detroit, Mich. ... Parents are Jane-line and Patrick Daubert ... Has an older sister, Avery ... Enrolled at UCLA in Winter 2024 ... Decided to attend UCLA because of athletics and academics ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as playing in and winning the Gothia Cup ... Athletes she admires include Thiago Alcantara, Trent Alexander-Arnold, David Beckham, Andrés Iniesta and Xavi ... Hobbies include drawing, shopping, eating and playing with her pets ... Major is psychology ... Career objective is going to medical school or playing/coaching professional soccer.

### Career Statistics

| Year | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2024 | 22-17 | 10    | 1     | 1       | 3      | 1   |



CASSIDY  
**DOOGAN**

5-2 / Freshman  
Defender  
Carlsbad, Calif.  
Carlsbad HS

**U.S. National Team**

Attended U.S. Youth National Team Training Camp and was a part of the U-17 World Cup Player Pool.

**High School/Club**

Three-year letterwinner and two-time MVP in soccer at Carlsbad HS ... Received first-team All-CIF honors ... Also played beach volleyball for one year and was a member of the surf team for two years ... Played club soccer for Slammers HB Koge ... Was a three-time ECNL national finalist and won a national title in 2022.

**Personal**

Full name is Cassidy Shay Doogan ... Born in La Jolla, Calif. ... Parents are Jen and Jon Doogan ... Has an older sister, Gillian ... Father Jon played lacrosse at the University of Arizona ... Sister Gillian played soccer at Dartmouth ... Decided to attend UCLA because of her love for California, the campus and the proximity to the beach, saying "My official visit solidified my decision because I witnessed the team culture and saw how fun, competitive and supportive everyone is" ... Athletes she admires are Serena Williams and Crystal Dunn ... Describes her greatest athletic thrills as making the ECNL finals three consecutive years and winning in 2022 ... Hobbies include art, snowboarding, surfing and cooking ... Hopes to be a nutritionist and play professional soccer.



JORDYN  
**DUNN**

5-8 / Freshman  
Forward  
Rancho Cucamonga, Calif.  
Rancho Cucamonga HS

**High School/Club**

Three-year letterwinner at Rancho Cucamonga HS, playing as a defender and midfielder ... Two-time first team All-Baseline League ... Played club soccer for Slammers HB Koge ... Was a two-time national finalist with her previous club.

**Personal**

Full name is Jordyn James Dunn ... Born in Upland, Calif. ... Parents are Takala and Brandon Dunn ... Has an older sister, Mariah, who played soccer at the University of Arizona ... Uncle Cameron Dunn played professional soccer for Chivas and Portland Timbers Soccer ... Graduated from high school early and enrolled at UCLA in Winter 2025 ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the prestigious academics and women's soccer team and because "there's no better place than LA" ... Athletes she admires are Lindsey Heaps and Steph Curry ... Describes her greatest athletic thrills as winning a Round of 16 ECNL game where the entire team took PKs ... Hobbies include cooking, spending time at the beach and playing other sports ... Has a career objective in sports marketing.



LAILA  
**EDRIS**

5-2 / Freshman  
Midfielder  
Mountain View, Calif.  
Mountain View HS

**Egyptian National Team**

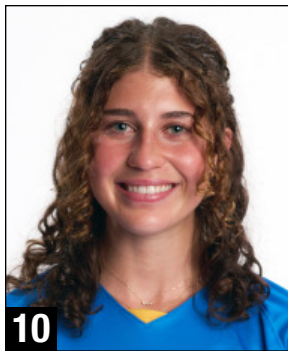
Played with the Egyptian National Team in December 2023 and the U-20 National Team in January 2024.

**High School/Club**

Three-year letterwinner at Mountain View HS who helped lead her team to the first state championship in school history in 2023 ... Named the Santa Clara Valley Athletic League MVP for the 2022-2023 season ... Earned first-team all-league honors in 2022-2023 ... Played club soccer for MVLA Soccer Club, which was Surf Club Champions and ENCL Elite Finalists in 2022 ... Named to the Northern Cal all-conference first team in the 2022-2023 and 2023-2024 seasons.

**Personal**

Full name is Laila Aladdin Edris ... Born in Mountain View, CA ... Parents are Mennah Moustafa and Aladdin Edris ... Has an older brother, Ali, and a younger sister, Nora ... Graduated from high school early and enrolled at UCLA in Winter 2025 ... Decided to attend UCLA it was her dream school and because Abby Dahlkemper, who went to her high school, played at UCLA ... Athletes she admires are Kevin De Bruyne and Mohamed Salah ... Describes her greatest athletic thrills as playing for the Egyptian U-20 National Team and walking out into the stadium ... Hobbies include baking, walking her dog and watching sports ... Has a career objective in sports medicine.



EMMA  
**EGIZII**

5-4 / Redshirt Senior  
Midfielder  
Downey, Calif.  
Warren HS

**2024**

Named to the Academic All-Big Ten team ... Scored two goals, including the game-winner, in the season opening win over Long Beach State ... Played in three games and started two before suffering a season-ending injury in the BYU game on Aug. 28.

**2023**

Played in 15 games, starting 13 ... Played a total of 1,026 minutes ... Totaled two goals, scoring the game-winner against Oregon State and netting another goal in the next game against Oregon ... Recorded one assist, which came at Washington.

**2022**

Made her season debut on Sept. 29 at Oregon after missing all but one game in 2021 ... Scored her first collegiate goal on Nov. 11 against NAU in the NCAA first round ... Played in 11 games in 2022 and logged a career-high 45 minutes at Utah.

**2021**

Played 10 minutes in the season opener against UC Irvine and suffered a knee injury that forced her out for the remainder of the season ... Scored a goal in the team's exhibition win over Pepperdine.

**U.S. National Team**

Member of the U.S. Youth National Teams from the U-14 to U-19 level.

**High School/Club**

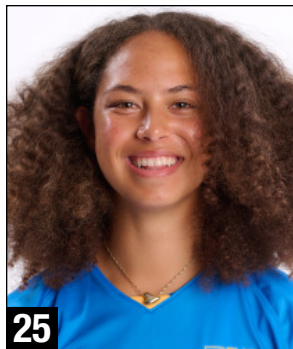
Top 20 recruit by Top Drawer Soccer ... Earned All-America honors in 2019-20 ... Played club soccer with Beach FC.

**Personal**

Graduated early and enrolled at UCLA in the Spring of 2021 ... Full name is Emma Soledad Egizii ... Born in Downey, Calif. ... Mother is Nancy Egizii ... Has one older sister, Jessica ... Chose UCLA because of the "amazing team, culture and style of play" ... Admires Rose Lavelle, Lionel Messi and Kevin De Bruyne ... Enjoys hanging out with family and cooking ... Lists her favorite food as gnocchi ... Sociology major.

**Career Statistics**

| Year   | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2021   | 1-0   | 0     | 0     | 0       | 0      | 0   |
| 2022   | 10-0  | 4     | 1     | 0       | 2      | 0   |
| 2023   | 15-13 | 21    | 2     | 1       | 5      | 1   |
| 2024   | 3-2   | 4     | 2     | 0       | 4      | 1   |
| Totals | 29-15 | 29    | 5     | 1       | 11     | 2   |



## NICKI FRASER

5-10 / Sophomore  
Defender  
Highlands Ranch, Colo.  
Rock Canyon HS

### 2024

Big Ten Freshman of the Year and All-Freshman selection ... Earned third-team All-Big Ten honors ... Top Drawer Soccer Freshman Best XI first-team selection ... Started and played in 20 games ... Helped UCLA's defense record a nation-leading 16 shutouts and 0.41 goals against average ... Her first collegiate goal was the game-winner in the Big Ten quarterfinals against Penn State ... Named to the Top Drawer Soccer Preseason Freshman Team.

### U.S. National Team

Member of the U.S. U-20 Women's National Team pool ... Played on the 2022 U.S. U-17 World Cup team and the 2022 U.S. U-17 Concacaf Championship team ... Invited to the England International camp in 2023 and the Spain International camp in 2022 ... 2023 Pan American Games participant.

### High School/Club

Two-time letter winner at Rock Canyon HS ... Named an All-American and Offensive MVP of the Continental League during her junior year ... First-team CHSAA All-State selection in 2023 ... Ranked the No. 12 recruit in the nation ... Played club soccer for Real Colorado ... Earned ECNL U-15 All-America honors ... Two-time first-team ECNL All-Mountain Conference.

### Personal

Full name is Nicola Marley Fraser ... Born in Littleton, Colo. ... Parents are Ashley Albrecht and Robin Fraser ... Has an older sister, Dani ... Father Robin played with the U.S. Men's National Team and was a two-time Major League Soccer Defender of the Year with the Los Angeles Galaxy and Columbus Crew ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as playing Chile's senior team in Chile at the Pan American Games ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the academics and athletics ... Athletes she admires are Chloe Kelly, Alphonso Davies, Chloe Kim, and Carlos Alcaraz ... Hobbies include reading baking, mountain biking, skiing, traveling and hanging out with her sister.

### Career Statistics

| Year | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2024 | 20-20 | 6     | 1     | 0       | 2      | 1   |



## AMERICA FRIAS

5-6 / Senior  
Forward  
San Jose, Calif.  
Leigh HS

### 2024

Started the last 15 games of the season after missing the first nine while playing for Mexico at the FIFA Under-20 Women's World Cup ... Played as a defensive midfielder for the last half of the season.

### 2023

Appeared in 16 games, recording 432 minutes ... Totaled four assists, which ranked in a tie for fourth-most on the team ... Scored her first collegiate goal in the Bruins' win over Oregon State ... Played in a career-high 45 minutes at Washington State.

### 2022

Played in eight games and made her collegiate debut on Sept. 11 against Cal State Fullerton ... Played in a season-high 26 minutes against Arizona.

### Mexican National Team

Played for Mexico at the 2024 FIFA Under-20 Women's World Cup and was a member of Mexico's 2022 Under-20 World Cup team that advanced to the quarterfinals ... Scored the game-winning goal in stoppage time in a 1-0 win over Netherlands at the 2022 Sud Ladies Cup and helped lead the team to a bronze medal in the tournament ... Starter on U-20 squad that won silver at the 2024 Sud Ladies Cup ... Scored the game-winner for the U-20s in a 3-0 win over Uruguay in an April 2023 friendly.

### U.S. National Team

Member of the U.S. U-15 national team's gold medal-winning squad at the 2018 Concacaf Championships ... Scored a second-half hat trick in the team's 8-0 tournament opener against Jamaica ... Also attended U-14 and U-16 national team camps.

### High School/Club

Lettered two years at Leigh HS, serving as team captain and earning first-team all-league honors ... Led her team in goals and assists ... Played for FC Bay Area, ranked No. 1 in the nation by Top Drawer Soccer and the 2019 and 2021 national champions.

### Personal

Full Name is Andrea America Frias ... Born in San Jose, Calif. ... Parents are Carmen and Ubaldio Frias ... Has an older brother Andrew ... Wanted to attend UCLA because "it has both great academics and athletics" ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as "winning a national championship playing one year up in 2021" ... Admires Cristiano Ronaldo ... Political science major.

### Career Statistics

| Year   | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2022   | 8-0   | 0     | 0     | 0       | 0      | 0   |
| 2023   | 16-0  | 6     | 1     | 4       | 6      | 0   |
| 2024   | 15-15 | 5     | 0     | 0       | 0      | 0   |
| Totals | 39-15 | 11    | 1     | 4       | 6      | 0   |



## JORDAN GEIS

5-10 / Sophomore  
Forward  
San Jose, Calif.  
Archbishop Mitty HS

### 2024

Named to the Big Ten All-Freshman team ... One of four Bruins to play in all 24 games and also made 12 starts ... Scored two goals and recorded one assist ... Scored the game-winning goal in the Bruins' come-from-behind win at Oregon and was subsequently awarded Big Ten Freshman of the Week ... Scored a goal from 45 yards out with one second remaining in the first half of UCLA's Big Ten Championship game win over Rutgers and also assisted on the Bruins' fifth goal in the 5-0 victory.

### U.S. National Team

Selected to the first-ever U.S. Youth National Team College Talent ID Camp in June 2025.

### High School/Club

Played four years at Archbishop Mitty HS, which ranked No. 1 in the state and No. 10 nationally in 2024 and won the NorCal Division I Championship ... Named the 2023-24 MaxPreps NorCal Player of the Year ... Earned United Soccer Coaches All-America and All West Region honors in 2023-24 and WCAL first-team all-league ... Member of the 2021 WCAL Championship and CCS Championship teams ... Played club soccer for MVLA, which won three consecutive Nor-Cal Championships ... Two-time ECNL first-team all-league honoree ... Played for USL Women's League team Oakland Soul.

### Personal

Full name is Jordan Jayleen Geis ... Born in San Jose, Calif. ... Parents are Jessica and Jason Geis ... Mother attended UCLA ... Has an older brother, Jake ... Father Jason played baseball for the University of Portland and in the Oakland A's minor league system ... Uncle Mike Diehl played volleyball at UCLA and was a member of the 1993 NCAA Championship team ... Aunt Tina Diehl played basketball at the University of Portland ... Uncle Chad Sheron played basketball for Vanderbilt ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the "amazing soccer and academic program", the coaching staff, wanting to be close to family and it was the "place where I can learn and be challenged" ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as playing in the CCS finals her freshman year and recording a hat trick in the 3-1 win ... Athlete she admires most is Julie Ertz ... Interests include going to the beach, working out, watching soccer and movies ... Plans to major in business-economics.

### Career Statistics

| Year | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2024 | 24-12 | 29    | 2     | 1       | 5      | 1   |



## ORUHA HAYASHI

5-3 / Junior  
Forward  
Toyooka, Japan  
Hinomoto HS / Iowa Western

### 2024 (Iowa Western)

Earned the 2024-25 Betty Jo Graber NJCAA Female Student-Athlete of the Year Award ... Named the United Soccer Coaches Player of the Year and a first-team All-American for Junior College Division 1 for the second year in a row ... ICCAC Female Student Athlete of the year for 2024-2025 ... Region 11 Player of the Year ... Named to the NJCAA Division 1 All-Tournament Team ... Started 20 out of 20 games played ... Scored 25 goals in the season, including six game-winning goals ... Recorded 19 assists.

### 2023 (Iowa Western)

Named the United Soccer Coaches Player of the Year and a first-team All-American for Junior College Division 1 ... Led Iowa Western to the NJCAA Division 1 National Championship and selected the tournament's Most Valuable Offensive Player ... Started 16 out of 18 games played ... Scored 19 goals with five game-winning goals to go along with 19 assists.

### Personal

Full name is Oruha Hayashi ... Born in Hyogo, Japan ... Parents are Masanori and Chiharu Hayashi ... Has two older sisters, Saori and Rio ... Admires Lionel Messi ... Hobbies include thrifting and watching YouTube ... Sociology major ... Career objective is to be a professional soccer player.

### Career Statistics

| Year        | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|-------------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2023 (IWJC) | 18-16 | 53    | 19    | 19      | 57     | 5   |
| 2024 (IWJC) | 20-20 | 57    | 25    | 19      | 69     | 6   |
| Totals      | 38-36 | 110   | 44    | 38      | 126    | 11  |



## JENNIE IMMETHUN

5-6 / Senior  
Defender  
San Jose, Calif.  
Piedmont Hills HS / TCU / LMU

### 2024 (TCU)

All-Big 12 second-team selection ... Started 20 of 22 games and played 1,643 minutes for the Big 12 champions ... Played the full 90 in 11 matches ... Helped TCU log seven shutouts on the year.

### 2023 (TCU)

Started 10 of 15 games ... Played 980 minutes ... Recorded a 90% pass accuracy over the season.

### 2022 (LMU)

Ranked No. 82 on Top Drawer Soccer's freshman list ... Started 15 out of 17 games and logged 1,190 minutes as a starting defensive midfielder.

### U.S. National Team

Attended U.S. Youth National Team Camp in 2020 and a Virtual ID Camp in 2021 ... Participated in U.S. Regional Training Camps twice.

### High School/Club

Played club soccer for FC Bay Area Surf, San Jose Earthquakes Academy and DeAnza Force ... Her club team was the No. 1 ranked youth team in the Nation in 2022 and the 2022 GA National Champion and 2019 DA National Champion ... Three-time club national champion ... ECRL U19 National Champion.

### Personal

Full name is Jennifer Kate Immethun ... Born in Fremont, Calif. ... Parents are Dave and Dara Immethun ... Has an older brother, Brian ... Decided to attend UCLA because of its strong academics and soccer and because she "felt that UCLA was going to help me grow as a person and a player" ... Athletes she admires are Rodri and Sergio Busquets ... Describes her greatest athletic thrills as winning three national championships in a row in club ... Hobbies include reading and hanging out with friends ... Majoring in Sociology.

### Career Statistics

| Year       | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|------------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2022 (LMU) | 17-15 | 3     | 0     | 0       | 0      | 0   |
| 2023 (TCU) | 15-10 | 1     | 0     | 0       | 0      | 0   |
| 2024 (TCU) | 22-20 | 0     | 0     | 0       | 0      | 0   |
| Totals     | 44-35 | 4     | 0     | 0       | 0      | 0   |



## BRIDGETTE MARIN-VALENCIA

5-5 / Senior  
Forward  
San Francisco, Calif.  
Immaculate Conception Academy

### 2024

Tied for the team lead in goals scored with four and was second in points with 10 ... Played in 17 games and started 13 ... Named UCLA's Student-Athlete of the Week Aug. 21 after a two-goal, one-assist weekend in the first week of play ... Assisted on the game-winner and scored the second goal in a 3-0 win at Long Beach State in the season opener ... Scored the game-winner in UCLA's 3-0 win over UC Riverside ... Assisted on the game-winner against Santa Clara ... Scored goals at Purdue and against Minnesota.

### 2023

Appeared in 17 games and made three starts, against UC Irvine, BYU and Stanford ... Totaled two goals, including the game-winner at CSUN ... Also scored a goal in the win over USC ... Played a career-best 67 minutes at UC Irvine.

### 2022

Played in 20 games and earned four starts, making her first start at Stanford and then starting the final three games of the NCAA Tournament ... Totaled two goals and two assists ... Recorded an assist in her first game against Cal State Fullerton ... Scored her first goal in a 4-2 win at Cal ... Also scored a goal at Colorado.

### Mexican National Team

Member of Mexico's 2022 FIFA Under-20 World Cup squad that advanced to the quarterfinals ... Helped lead the U-20s to a bronze medal at the 2022 Sud Ladies Cup ... Called up to U-20 National Team camps in September 2023 and during the summer of 2024.

### High School/Club

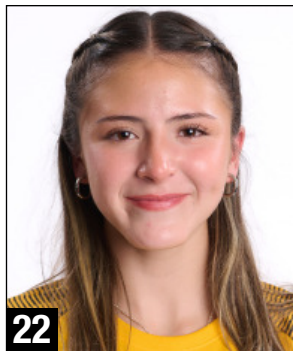
Lettered two years in soccer at Immaculate Conception Academy ... Played club soccer with PSV Union FC.

### Personal

Full name is Bridgette Nayelly Marin-Valencia ... Born in San Francisco, Calif. ... Parents are Maria and Nelson Marin ... Has an older sister Natzyelly and two younger sisters, Makayla and Layla ... Wanted to attend UCLA because "the soccer program and school are great" ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as scoring goals ... Athletes she admires include Marta, Lionel Messi, and Steph Curry ... Enjoys reading and trying other sports ... Sociology major ... Would like to pursue a career working with children.

### Career Statistics

| Year   | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2022   | 18-2  | 26    | 2     | 2       | 6      | 0   |
| 2023   | 17-3  | 14    | 2     | 0       | 4      | 1   |
| 2024   | 17-13 | 16    | 4     | 2       | 10     | 1   |
| Totals | 52-18 | 50    | 8     | 4       | 20     | 2   |



## MARIANGELA MEDINA

6-0 / Sophomore  
Goalkeeper  
Saltillo, Mexico  
American School of Saltillo

### 2024

Served as a backup but did not see action.

### Mexican National Team

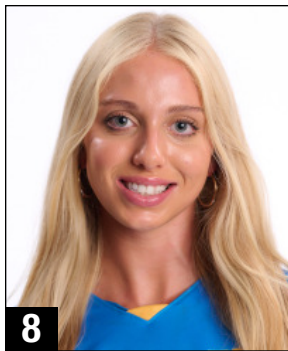
Member of the U-20 Mexican National Team ... Started for Mexico at the 2025 Concacaf Under-20 Championships and led her team to the finals ... Played for Mexico at the 2024 FIFA Under-20 World Cup and made one appearance in the Round of 16, entering the game in overtime against the U.S. and making a save on a penalty kick just two minutes later ... Shut out the U.S. in the second half of a friendly in July 2024 ... Started playing on the youth national team at 15 years old.

### High School/Club

Played club soccer for Tigres Femenil on the U-19 and first teams ... First joined the club at 14 years old and debuted on the first division team at 17 years old ... Part of the 2023 and 2024 Campeón de Campeones and the 2023 Torneo Apertura championship squads ... One of three players to train with Bayern Munich in Germany as a part of partnership with Club Tigres ... Went undefeated in the Dallas International Girls Cup ... Won the International Youth Cup with Arteaga Coahuila FC 2021.

### Personal

Born in Saltillo, Coahuila, Mexico ... Parents are Tamara Martinez and Emerson Medina ... Has an older sister, Anapaula, and a younger sister, Luciana ... Decided to attend UCLA because its "always been her dream college" ... Athletes she admires are UCLA alumna Maricarmen Reyes and Nahuel Guzmán ... Loves to be a goalkeeper because she enjoys her "reflexes and ability to manage the team since [she] sees the whole



## SIENA MEYER

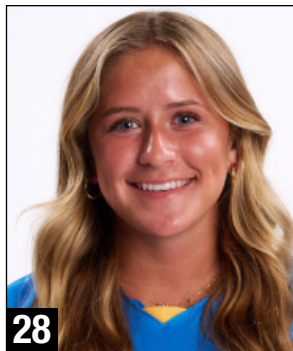
5-9 / Freshman  
Defender  
Thousand Oaks, Calif.  
Newbury Park HS

### High School/Club

Three-year letterwinner and team captain at Newbury Park HS ... Earned Marmonte League first-team honors all three years ... All-Ventura County selection in 2024 ... Newbury Park HS Overall MVP in 2024 and Defender of the Year in 2022 and 2023 ... Played club soccer for LAFC So Cal, earning ECNL all-conference three years and playing in the ECNL National Selection Game in 2022 ... Named to the USYS ODP National Select Team in 2023 and to the ODP West Regional Team in 2022 ... Played on the ODP Far West Championship team in 2022.

### Personal

Full name is Siena Grace Meyer ... Parents are Gina and Steve Meyer ... Has two sisters, Samantha and Katie ... Katie led Stanford to the 2019 NCAA Championship, making two penalty kick saves in the championship game shootout ... Graduated from high school early and enrolled at UCLA in Winter 2025 ... Decided to attend UCLA because "the athletics and academics would challenge me to grow as a person and player. The people here are so wonderful, and the team environment created is amazing. UCLA fits my pre-med major perfectly and I love the campus and location" ... Athletes she admires are Naomi Girma, Marcelo Vieira da Silva Júnior, Sophia Smith, Kobe Bryant, Sydney McLaughlin-Levrone and Simone Biles ... Hobbies include surfing, hiking, cooking/baking, trying new restaurants and cafes, traveling, yoga, volunteering at hospitals, gardening and listening to music ... Hopes to do pre-med/biology and has career aspirations in medicine and professional soccer.



**JULIA  
MOLNAR**

5-4 / Freshman  
Defender  
San Clemente, Calif.  
Edgenuity Virtual Academy

**U.S. National Team**

Attended U.S. Youth National Team ID Camp in 2022.

**High School/Club**

Played club soccer for the Philadelphia Ukrainian Nationals ... Named three times to the GA Mid Atlantic Talent ID ... Three-time Mid Atlantic Conference Champion.

**Personal**

Full name is Julia Grace Molnar ... Born in Redlands, Calif. ... Parents are Ryan and Charity Molnar ... Has two older brothers, Connelly and Trevor, and one younger brother, Dane ... Attended Michigan State University in 2025 ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the coaching staff, team culture and academics ... Athletes she admires are Lionel Messi and Kobe Bryant ... Describes her greatest athletic thrills as scoring the game-winning goal to win her third consecutive conference championship ... Hobbies include surfing, traveling and fishing ... Plans to major in psychology ... Has a career objective in sports psychology.



**DAPHNE  
NAKFOOR**

5-9 / Freshman  
Goalkeeper  
Carlsbad, Calif.  
JSerra Catholic HS

**U.S. National Team**

Has been attending U.S. Youth National Team camps since 2022 ... Most recently called up to the U-18 National Team for training camp in Georgia in June 2025 ... Selected to the U.S. U-19/U-18 training camp in March 2025.

**High School/Club**

Four-year letterwinner at JSerra Catholic HS ... Received All-CIF first-team honors in 2023 after recording 81 saves and 10 clean sheets in the 2022-23 season ... Named to the All-Trinity League first team in 2023 after earning honorable mention in 2022 ... Played club soccer for Slammers FC HBC ... Won the ENCL National Championship in 2022 ... Played in the ENCL National Finals in 2021 and 2023 ... Named to the id2 Best XI in May 2022 ... ODP Far West Regional Champion in 2020 and 2022 ... Attended Professional HB Koge Denmark Training in August 2022 ... Participated in the KC Current reserve team international friendly in 2022 ... Attended the KC Current GK combine in 2022 and Spring Training and reserve team training camps in 2023.

**Personal**

Full name is Daphne Julia Nakfoor ... Born in Encinitas, Calif. ... Parents are Jessica and Brett Nakfoor ... Has an older brother, Theo ... Father Brett played football at the University of Pennsylvania ... Grandfather played football at Notre Dame ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the coaching staff and the legacy of UCLA Women's Soccer, and to compete at the highest level... Athletes she admires are Manuel Neuer, Kailen Sheridan and Steph Curry ... Describes her greatest athletic thrills as winning the 2022 ECNL National Championship and not conceding a goal in the entire playoff run ... Hobbies include going to the beach, traveling and playing with her dog ... Has



LEENA  
**POWELL**

5-6 / Freshman  
Forward  
Culver City, Calif.  
Culver City HS

**U.S. National Team**

Member of the U.S. U-17, U-18 and U-20 Women's National Teams ... Played in the 2024 U-17 Women's World Cup and Concacaf Championships and the 2025 U-20 Concacaf Championships ... Most recently called up to the U-18 National Team for training camp in Georgia in June 2025 and to the U.S. U-19/U-18 training camp in March 2025.

**High School/Club**

Played club soccer for Tudela FC.

**Personal**

Full name is Leena Evette Powell ... Born in Diamond Bar, Calif. ... Parents are Lauri and Jameel Powell... Has an older brother, Evan, and a younger sister, Emma ... Father Jameel played college football at Cal and professional football for the Dallas Cowboys ... Mother Lauri played college basketball at Cal Poly and was a two-time national champion and Hall of Fame inductee ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the coaches, team, environment and style of play while adding "It felt like home right when I stepped on campus" ... Athletes she admires are Kylian Mbappé, Trinity Rodman, Ronaldinho and Michael Jordan ... Hobbies include braiding hair, doing nails and journaling ... Has goals to play professional soccer and be a member of the U.S. Senior Women's National Team.



AVERY  
**ROBINSON**

5-6 / Sophomore  
Midfielder  
St. Johns, Fla.  
Creekside HS

**2024**

Played in 18 games and made one start in UCLA's 1-0 win over Ohio State ... Played in a season-high 55 minutes at Kentucky.

**U.S. National Team**

Has been attending U.S. Youth National Team camps since 2020 ... Played with the U-19s at the L'Albir U-19 Women's International Tournament in February 2025 ... Called up to the U-17 team in February 2024 for a training camp and friendlies vs. England ... Participant in the 2022 UEFA Developmental Tournament.

**High School/Club**

Lettered at Creekside HS, which won state championship in 2022 and 2024 ... Named to the All-State team four consecutive years ... Honored as the MaxPreps High School County Player of the Year ... Played club soccer for Florida Elite Academy ... Named to the ECNL first-team all-conference teams since her freshman year.

**Personal**

Full name is Avery Marie Robinson ... Born in Jacksonville, Fla. ... Parents are Brian and Heather Robinson ... Has an older sister, Brenna, and a younger sister, Kinsley ... Uncle Darryl Jenkins played football for Georgia Tech and was drafted by the San Diego Chargers ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as scoring the first goal and then the winning goal in a high school State championship game ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the coaching staff, saying UCLA was a perfect academic and athletic fit ... Athletes she admires are Lionel Messi and Serena Williams ... Interests include art and pickleball.

**Career Statistics**

| Year | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2024 | 18-1  | 12    | 0     | 0       | 0      | 0   |



## SAMMY SANCHEZ

5-2 / Sophomore  
Forward  
San Jose, Calif.  
Independence HS

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### 2024

Played in the Bruins' first four games before suffering a season-ending knee injury Aug. 25 against Santa Clara ... Averaged 44 minutes per game, with a high of 58 minutes at Cal Poly.

### High School/Club

MVP at Independence HS as a sophomore and junior ... Led her team to their first CCS playoffs in 2023 ... Totaled 61 goals in 2022 and 2023 ... Played club soccer for MVLA, who were three-time Bay Area/NorCal Conference Champions ... Earned All-Conference Northwest honors twice and ECNL NorCal All-Conference.

### Personal

Full name is Samantha Irazu Sanchez ... Parents are Sergio A. Sanchez and Fabiola Falcon ... Has one older brother, Sergio, and one younger sister, Sheyla ... Decided to attend UCLA "because of the amazing campus, staff and players" and it was her dream school ... Athlete she admires is Lionel Messi ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as playing in the round of 16 in the 2023 ECNL National Playoffs ... Interests include traveling and spending time with family and friends.

### Career Statistics

| Year | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2024 | 4-0   | 3     | 0     | 0       | 0      | 0   |



## MILLA SHAFIE

5-6 / Junior  
Defender  
Los Altos, Calif.  
Homestead HS

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### 2024

Named to the Academic All-Big Ten team ... Played in 14 games with seven starts ... Recorded her first career point on an assist in the Big Ten Championship game ... Played the full 90 against Penn State.

### 2023

Appeared in three games, making her collegiate debut vs. Long Beach State ... Recorded double-digit totals in minutes played in two of three games ... Had one shot on goal vs Utah.

### High School/Club

Competed for Homestead HS ... Played club soccer for MVLA, winning a national championship in 2021 ... Selected to the Youth National Team regional ID camp in 2021 ... Played in the 20221 ECNL San Diego National Selection Game.

### Personal

Full name is Milla Hope Shafie ... Born in Mountain View, Calif. ... Parents are Felicia Kosanovich and Afshin Shafie ... Has two younger siblings, Cyrus, Elise and Nina ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the campus, academics and the school feeling like home ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as winning an ECNL national championship ... Athletes she admires are Robin van Persie and Andie Sullivan ... Hobbies include cooking, baking, writing and art ... Enrolled at UCLA in Winter 2023 ... English major with career aspirations in the film industry.

### Career Statistics

| Year   | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2023   | 3-0   | 1     | 0     | 0       | 0      | 0   |
| 2024   | 14-7  | 2     | 0     | 1       | 1      | 0   |
| Totals | 17-7  | 3     | 0     | 1       | 1      | 0   |



## GRACE SHANK

5-7 / Freshman  
Midfielder  
McLean, Va.  
Georgetown Visitation Preparatory School

### U.S. National Team

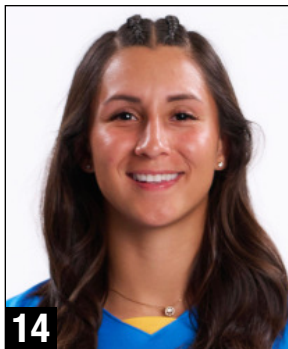
Selected to the first-ever U.S. Youth National Team College Talent ID Camp in June 2025.

### High School/Club

Played club soccer at McLean/VA Union ... Named a United Soccer Coaches All-American ... Two-time ECNL first-team all-conference member ... Two-time ECNL Conference Cup selection ... Played one year as a midfielder for Georgetown Visitation Preparatory School.

### Personal

Full name is Grace Mari Shank ... Born in Union, Ky. ... Parents are Lynne and Matthew Shank ... Has a twin sister, Olivia ... Graduated from high school early and enrolled at UCLA in Winter 2025 ... Decided to attend UCLA because of academics and athletics and to be "surrounded by a competitive environment that will support my growth as a person and player" ... Athletes she admires are Andrés Iniesta, Ronaldinho, Kevin De Bruyne and Sergio Busquets.



## VAL VARGAS

5-6 / Junior  
Midfielder  
Pico Rivera, Calif.  
Downey HS

### 2024

Third-team All-Big Ten selection ... Earned third-team All-Big Ten honors ... Played in 15 games and started 12 after missing the first nine while playing for Mexico at the FIFA Under-20 Women's World Cup ... Scored the game-winning goal in the Big Ten Championship game.

### 2023

Named to the All-Pac-12 Freshman Team ... Appeared in 18 games and made three starts, against Long Beach State, CSUN and Pepperdine ... Totaled two goals and two assists ... Scored her first collegiate goal on Aug. 27 in the 4-0 victory at UC Irvine and also scored a goal in the 2-0 win over Pepperdine ... Registered her first collegiate point with an assist in the Cal Poly game ... Recorded 564 minutes with a season-high of 67 minutes, achieved twice vs. Long Beach State and at CSUN.

### Mexican National Team

Played in four games and started two at the 2024 FIFA Under-20 Women's World Cup ... Scored a goal against the U.S. in the Round of 16 ... Starter on Mexico's Under-20 National Team that won the 2023 Concacaf Championships ... Started three games in the 2022 FIFA Under-17 Women's World Cup ... Scored a total of 10 goals at the 2022 Concacaf Under-17 Championships ... Helped lead the U-20s to a runner-up finish at the 2024 Sud Ladies Cup ... Previously part of the U.S. Youth National Team pool.

### High School/Club

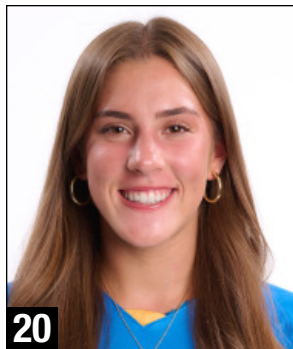
Won a league championship and named MVP of her team at Downey High School ... Played club soccer for Beach FC.

### Personal

Full name is Valerie Vargas-Arceo ... Born in Montebello, Calif. ... Parents are Manuela and Jose Antonio Vargas ... Siblings are Fernando and Vanessa ... Says attending UCLA was always a dream for her since she was a kid ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as winning MVP while playing in Spain with LA Galaxy Academy ... An athlete she admires is Lionel Messi ... Hobbies include riding bikes, watching the sunset and eating at cafes ... Sociology major with the career aspiration of becoming a professional soccer player.

### Career Statistics

| Year   | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2023   | 18-3  | 25    | 2     | 2       | 6      | 0   |
| 2024   | 15-12 | 28    | 1     | 0       | 2      | 1   |
| Totals | 33-15 | 53    | 3     | 2       | 8      | 1   |



## BELLA WINN

5-10 / Sophomore  
Forward  
Ridgewood, N.J.  
Ridgewood HS

### 2024

Recorded an assist in the season opener at Long Beach State and a first-half goal in the Bruins' next game against UC Riverside but was injured on the goal and did not play again the rest of the season ... Started two games and played in a high of 54 minutes at Long Beach State.

### U.S. National Team

Selected to the U.S. U-19 National Team Pan American camp in 2023.

### High School/Club

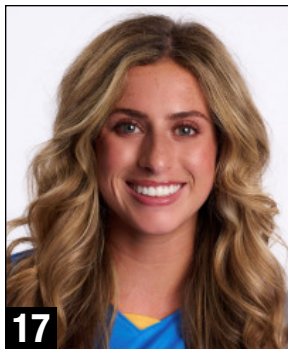
Three year letterwinner at Ridgewood High School ... Selected to the 2023 United Soccer Coaches All-America team ... Three-time All-Region player and the 2022 and 2021 Big North Conference Player of the Year ... Earned All-America and All-State honors in 2022 ... Also lettered in basketball and lacrosse ... Played club soccer for World Class FC, earning ECNL first-team All-Northeast Conference honors from 2018-2023.

### Personal

Full name is Isabella Ava Winn ... Born in Ridgewood, N.J. ... Parents are Silvana Penava and EJ Winn ... Has two older brothers, Declan and Aidan, and a younger sister, Gabriella ... Decided to attend UCLA because of the coaching staff, positive team culture and the school being "the right place for me to develop as both a player and a person" ... Athletes she admires include Lionel Messi, Pelé, Rose Lavelle, Simone Biles, and Caitlin Clark ... Describes her greatest athletic thrill as scoring the game-winning header at her high school state semifinal game after breaking her nose during the game ... Interests include basketball, lacrosse, traveling, baking and watching the Dallas Cowboys, Boston Red Sox and San Diego Wave.

### Career Statistics

| Year | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2024 | 2-2   | 4     | 1     | 1       | 3      | 0   |



## LEXI WRIGHT

5-6 / Redshirt Senior  
Forward  
Carlsbad, Calif.  
Carlsbad HS

### 2024

Named to the Academic All-Big Ten team ... Suffered a season-ending injury during preseason.

### 2023

Named to the All-Pac-12 third team ... Played in 18 games and started 16 ... Ranked third on the team in goals scored with six and in points with 15 points ... Also recorded three assists ... Ranked fourth with 13 points and fifth with five goals in conference play ... Had a hand in each goal in the Bruins' 2-0 win at Washington State, scoring the game-winner and assisting on the second goal ... Ranked second on the team with 53 shots and 23 shots on goal.

### 2022

Ranked third on the team in all scoring categories, totaling 22 points on eight goals and six assists ... Named to the College Cup All-Tournament Team after leading UCLA's comeback in the NCAA Championship game with an 80th minute goal to cut UNC's lead to 2-1 ... Scored two goals in the first nine minutes of UCLA's NCAA first round win over NAU ... Recorded an assist in the NCAA quarterfinal win vs. Virginia ... Scored her first collegiate goal on Aug. 25 against CSUN and also added an assist ... Assisted on the game-winner at No. 2 Duke and scored the second-half equalizer to jump-start UCLA's comeback win at No. 1 UNC ... Scored a goal at Pepperdine and at Colorado, as well as the game-winner at Utah ... Collected two assists in the Bruins' 4-0 win over Arizona State ... Played in 22 games with 19 starts.

### 2021

Played in 14 games and started at Arizona and against Utah ... Assisted on the game-winning goal against Stanford ... Made her season debut at San Diego on Sept. 16 ... Recorded four shots, including two on goal, against Utah ... Also had two shots on goal at Arizona ... Played a season-high 62 minutes against Oregon.

### High School/Club

Top Drawer Soccer second-team All-American and first-team All-Region and All-State ... Three-time All-CIF and All-San Diego Section first-team selection ... Earned all-conference and conference player of the year honors three times ... Holds school records for single-season goals (47 in 2019-20) and career goals (104 in three seasons) ... Earned *USA Today* third-team All-America honors and was a Gatorade Player of the Year nominee as a sophomore ... Won u15, u16, u18/19 ECNL National Championships with SoCal Blues.

### Personal

Full name is Lexi Danielle Wright ... Born in Escondido, Calif. ... Parents are Josh and Jessica ... Has an older brother, Cole, who plays football at Boise State ... Father Josh played football at Stanford ... Decided to attend UCLA because it is an "amazing academic school" and because she wanted to push herself to become a better soccer player and athlete ... Admires Christian McCaffrey, Julie Ertz and Russell Westbrook ... Hobbies include going to the beach, playing beach volleyball, dancing, shopping, taking pictures, and hiking ... Sociology major with career aspirations of being a business entrepreneur.

### Career Statistics

| Year   | GP-GS | Shots | Goals | Assists | Points | GWG |
|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|--------|-----|
| 2021   | 14-2  | 14    | 0     | 1       | 1      | 0   |
| 2022   | 22-19 | 53    | 8     | 6       | 22     | 2   |
| 2023   | 18-16 | 53    | 6     | 3       | 15     | 1   |
| Totals | 54-37 | 120   | 14    | 10      | 38     | 3   |