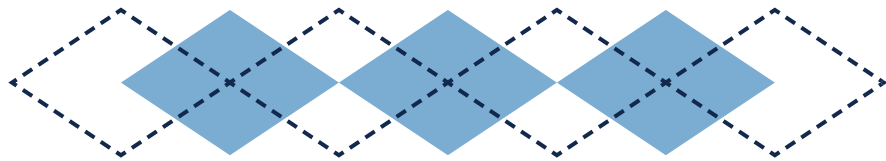




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### 2023-24 University of North Carolina Men's Tennis Roster

Name	Ht.	Yr.	Hometown	High School/Last School
Will Jansen	6-2	So.	London, England	Reed's School
Casey Kania	6-4	Jr.	Middlefield, Conn.	Cheshire Academy
Benjamin Kittay	6-3	So.	Potomac, Md.	The Laurel Springs School
Peter Murphy	5-10	Sr.	Portland, Ore.	Jesuit
Dennis Perumov	6-2	So.	Chapel Hill, N.C.	Chapel Hill
Will Peters	5-10	Gr.	Duxbury, Mass.	Duxbury/Princeton University
Karl Poling	6-1	Gr.	Boise, Idaho	Dwight School/Princeton University
Anuj Watane	5-11	Gr.	Orlando, Fla.	Laurel Springs
Logan Zapp	6-3	Sr.	Fleming Island, Fla.	Fleming Island

**Head Coach:** Sam Paul (Presbyterian, '83), 31st season at Carolina

**Associate Head Coach:** Tripp Phillips (UNC, '00), 18th season at Carolina

**Assistant Coach:** Robert Kelly (UNC, '18), first season at Carolina

#### Pronunciations

*Casey Kania: KANE-yuh*

*Benjamin Kittay: kit-TAY*

*Dennis Perumov: PAIR-u-mov*

*Anuj Watane: Ah-NUGE Wha-TAHN-ay*



## SAM PAUL

**Head Coach • 30th Season as UNC head coach**

- The 2023-24 season will be his 31st as UNC's head men's tennis coach.

- Inducted into the North Carolina Tennis Foundation's Hall of Fame in September 2022.

- Paul has a 560-231 record. He is the winningest coach in program history and has more wins than any active ACC coach.

- Paul was the 2017 Wilson/

ITA National Coach of the Year.

- He has led Carolina to two ITA Indoor National championships and two NCAA final fours since 2016.

- Carolina has made nine consecutive appearances in the NCAA Tournament Sweet 16.

Head coach Sam Paul is the winningest active coach in the Atlantic Coast Conference with over 550 wins and continues to take the Tar Heel program to new heights with no end in sight.

Entering his 31st season as the Tar Heels' head coach in 2023-24, he has led UNC to rare air in recent years, with the team's first indoor national championship and first No. 1 ranking coming in 2016, the program's first NCAA finals appearance in 2017, another NCAA semifinal berth in 2019 and a second indoor national title in 2021.

Paul was inducted into the North Carolina Tennis Foundation's Hall of Fame in September of 2022.

In 2023, UNC went 19-9 and tied for third in the ACC regular season standings while making its ninth consecutive trip to the NCAA Tournament round of 16.

In 2022, Brian Cernoch earned All-America honors in singles and was named the 2022 ACC Men's Tennis Scholar-Athlete of the Year.

In 2021, Carolina won the ITA National Team Indoor championship for a second time (joining 2016), reached the finals of the ACC Tournament and advanced to the NCAA Round of 16. The Tar Heels finished sixth in the nation, ranking among the nation's top seven teams in the final ITA poll for the sixth year in a row and the seventh time in eight years.

William Blumberg became the first 10-time All-America in ITA history by winning the honor in both singles and doubles for the fifth consecutive year. He also won the Rafael Osuna Sportsmanship Award from the ITA.

Paul won his 500th match on February 16, 2020. Paul has more wins than any coach in program history and is the winningest active coach in ACC men's tennis.

In 2019, Carolina posted a 22-7 season that saw the team reach the NCAA final four for the second time in three years and post its sixth consecutive 20-win season.

The 2017 Wilson/ITA Coach of the Year, Paul is also a six-time ACC Coach of the Year, most recently in 2014.

Carolina's tradition of excellence in men's tennis dating back to the early stages of the 20th century has only continued under Paul. The native of Lancaster, S.C., has strengthened the winning reputation of Tar Heel men's tennis through his skill as a coach and recruiter since UNC Athletic Director John Swofford named him as head coach in April 1993.

Paul's players at Carolina have achieved at every level of play. Since he became an assistant coach at UNC in 1989, the Tar Heels have had players earn first-team All-America honors 41 times. In both 2016 and 2020, UNC led the nation with five All-America selections. In 2020, Blumberg won the ITA Senior Player of the Year award.

Many players under Paul's tutelage have gone on to tremendous success on the professional level. Six players tutored by Paul have ascended to the Top 500 of the Association of Tennis Professionals (ATP) singles rankings. Don Johnson, captain of the 1990 ACC championship team and a former



### The Paul File

- 560-231 head coaching record at North Carolina
- 35th overall season at UNC, 31st season as head coach

**Education:** Presbyterian College, 1983 (B.S. in Applied Psychology)

**College Coaching:**

- University of North Carolina, Assistant Coach, 1989-93; Head Coach, 1993-present
- University of Richmond, Director of Tennis, Head Men's and Women's Tennis Coach, 1987-89
- Trinity University, Assistant Coach, 1986-87
- University of South Carolina, Assistant Coach, 1983-85

**Awards:**

- NC Tennis Foundation Hall of Fame (2022 inductee)
- 1996 ACC Coach of the Year
- 1996 ITA Mid-east Region Coach of the Year
- 1996 ITA National Coach of the Year Finalist
- 2000 ACC Coach of the Year
- 2000 ITA Mid-east Region Coach of the Year
- 2000 ITA National Coach of the Year Finalist
- 2002 ACC Coach of the Year
- 2004 ACC Coach of the Year
- 2004 ITA Mid-east Region Coach of the Year
- 2004 ITA National Coach of the Year Finalist
- 2007 ACC Coach of the Year
- 2007 ITA Mid-east Region Coach of the Year
- 2007 ITA National Coach of the Year Finalist
- 2014 ACC Coach of the Year
- 2017 ITA National Coach of the Year

**Championships:**

- ITA National Team Indoor Championship, 2016, 2021
- ACC Tournament Championships: 1990, 1992, 2002
- ACC Regular Season Championships: 1991, 1992, 1996, 2004, 2018

UNC assistant coach under Paul, won the 2001 Wimbledon doubles championship and is the former No. 1-ranked doubles player in the world. Rinky Hijikata won the 2023 Australian Open doubles championship in just his second year as a professional. Paul's former players have reached the semifinals of every Grand Slam event.

During his tenure as the head and assistant coach at North Carolina, the Tar Heels have won seven ACC championships, including the 1990, 1992 and 2002 tournament titles and the 1991, 1992, 1996 and 2004 regular-season championships.

The Tar Heels have earned NCAA Tournament bids in 27 of Paul's 30 years as head coach (the NCAA Tournament was canceled in 2020 due to Covid-19). UNC has hosted NCAA matches the past nine NCAA

Tournaments and 10 of the last 11.

Paul has guided a host of Tar Heel players to conference, regional and national accolades. UNC players have earned All-ACC accolades 77 times since 1994.

Three times since the 2000 season, Paul has mentored student-athletes who have won the Patterson Medal as Carolina's outstanding senior student-athlete — Tripp Phillips in 2000, Nick Monroe in 2004 and William Blumberg in 2021.

Among the awards won by Paul's players have been ITA National Senior Player of the Year, Arthur Ashe Leadership & Sportsmanship Award, ITA National Player to Watch, ITA National Rookie of the Year, ITA Rafael Osuna Sportsmanship Award, ITA Team Sportsmanship Award and ITA Scholar-Athlete Award as well as a host of regional ITA accolades.

Paul has mentored 21 first-team All-Americans in his tenure as head coach since 1993-94 to a total of 29 All-America awards.

Paul has tutored four players at North Carolina who have been ranked in the Top 500 in the world in men's singles — Don Johnson (UNC class of '90), David Caldwell (UNC Class of '96), Tripp Phillips (UNC Class of '00) and Nick Monroe (UNC Class of '04).

Paul became the only ACC coach to coach a player ranked No. 1 in the world in the ATP men's doubles rankings when he acted as personal coach for UNC alumnus Don Johnson during his magnificent runs in doubles at Wimbledon and the U.S. Open during the late 1990s and early years of the 2000s. Paul coached Johnson to a pair of Grand Slam titles and an appearance on the U.S. Davis Cup Team.

After serving as the Director of Tennis and the head men's and women's tennis coach at the University of Richmond for two years from 1987-89, Paul came to Chapel Hill in September 1989. At Richmond, he won honors as the Colonial Athletic Association's (CAA) Women's Tennis Coach of the Year in both 1988 and 1989.

During Paul's four years as the Carolina assistant, UNC was 82-29 overall in dual matches, 26-3 in ACC regular-season dual matches and 10-2 in ACC Tournament dual matches. In those four years, UNC won ACC Tournament titles in 1990 and 1992, was the ACC Tournament runner-up in 1991 and 1993 while winning the conference's regular-season championships in 1991 and 1992.

A 1983 graduate of Presbyterian College with a B.S. in applied psychology, Paul also played tennis for the Blue Hose for two years. He has a 1981 Associate of Arts degree with a concentration in business from Anderson (S.C.) College, where he played tennis as a freshman and sophomore. In 2008, Paul received Presbyterian's Bob Waters Award, given to distinguished alumni of the institution.

Paul married Rebecca Dirksen, a Dartmouth College alumna, on September 12, 2009. Dirksen works in the real estate field and was an assistant women's tennis coach at UNC for two years in the early 2000s. They have a daughter, Madeline, and a son, Colton.



## Tar Heels Under Sam Paul

### National ITA Team Rankings (Highest Ranking Achieved During the Season)

Year	Ranking
1990	#24
1991	#17
1992	#8
1993	#17
1994	#19
1995	#18
1996	#16
1997	#20
1998	#27
2000	#16
2001	#26
2002	#23
2003	#13
2004	#13
2005	#17
2006	#8
2007	#5
2008	#8
2009	#19
2010	#18
2011	#15
2012	#15
2013	#18
2014	#7
2015	#6
2016	#1
2017	#3
2018	#6
2019	#5
2020	#2
2021	#1
2022	#14
2023	#9

### All-ACC Selections

Year	All-ACC Selections
1990	Don Johnson Bryan Jones
1991	Chris Mumford Roland Thornqvist
1992	Joe Frierson Bryan Jones Chris Mumford Roland Thornqvist
1993	David Caldwell Cooper Pulliam Roland Thornqvist
1994	David Caldwell Brint Morrow
1995	David Caldwell Brint Morrow
1996	David Caldwell Brint Morrow Rob Tedesco
1997	Tripp Phillips Paul Harsanyi Rob Tedesco
1998	Rob Tedesco Tripp Phillips Adam Seri
1999	Assaf Drori
2000	Tripp Phillips Marcio Petrone
2001	Marcio Petrone
2002	Marcio Petrone Nick Monroe Andy Metzler
2003	Nick Monroe Derek Porter Trystan Meniane
2004	Nick Monroe Jonathan Janda Geoff Boyd Raian Luchici
2005	Raian Luchici
2006	Raian Luchici
2007	Benjamin Carlotti Chris Kearney
2008	Clay Donato Stefan Hardy Chris Kearney
2009	Clay Donato Taylor Fogleman
2010	Stefan Hardy Jose Hernandez
2011	Jose Hernandez
	Stefan Hardy Brennan Boyajian
2012	Jose Hernandez Brennan Boyajian
2013	Esben Hess-Olesen
2014	Bryaden Schnur Ronnie Schneider Brett Clark
2015	Brayden Schnur (1st) Ronnie Schneider (1st) Brett Clark (2nd) Jack Murray (3rd)
2016	Brayden Schnur (1st) Ronnie Schneider (1st) Brett Clark (2nd) Robert Kelly (3rd)
2017	William Blumberg (1st) Ronnie Schneider (1st) Robert Kelly (2nd)
2018	William Blumberg (1st) Benjamin Sigouin (1st) Robert Kelly (2nd) Blaine Boyden (3rd)
2019	William Blumberg (1st) Benjamin Sigouin (1st) Brian Cernoch (2nd) Blaine Boyden (3rd) Josh Peck (3rd)
2020	no team selected
2021	William Blumberg (1st) Rinky Hijikata (1st) Brian Cernoch (2nd) Benjamin Sigouin (3rd)
2022	Brian Cernoch (1st) Benjamin Sigouin (2nd) Mac Kiger (3rd)
2023	Ryan Seggerman (2nd-S) Brian Cernoch (3rd-S) Seggerman & Casey Kania (1st-D)

*\*in 2023, the ACC began selecting All-ACC teams in both singles and doubles*



## TRIPP PHILLIPS

### Associate Head Coach • 19th Season at UNC

University of North Carolina alumnus Tripp Phillips joined the Tar Heel men's tennis coaching staff in 2006 and has distinguished himself as head coach Sam Paul's chief assistant ever since. He was promoted to associate head coach in the summer of 2013.

Entering his 19th season at Carolina in 2023-24, Phillips continues to be one of the top recruiters and coaches in the nation. In 2021, he won the ITA Carolina Regional Assistant Coach of the Year award.

In his 18 years as an assistant coach, the former professional player has made a huge impact on the UNC tennis program, an era in which the Tar Heels have advanced to the NCAA Tournament all but one season.

His work in recruiting has also lifted the Tar Heel program to new heights, with UNC players earning ACC Freshman of the Year honors twice in recent years (William Blumberg in 2017 and Benjamin Sigouin in 2018). Phillips also played a key role in recruiting 2023 Australian Open doubles champion Rinky Hijikata.

After graduating from Carolina in 2000, Phillips began a highly successful professional career. The right-hander achieved a career-high



Association of Tennis Professionals' (ATP) doubles ranking of 29th on October 6, 2006. In singles, Phillips reached his high point as the 343rd-ranked player in the world on May 19, 2003.

Phillips was coached as a professional by both Paul and Charlotte Country Day varsity tennis coach Calvin Davis. While he enjoyed success as a singles player, notching victories against players such as Michael Chang, Harold Levey and Oscar Hernandez, Phillips ultimately decided to focus his efforts on doubles and the results he achieved in those events gave him a better opportunity to play in the world's biggest and most respected tournaments.

Phillips had perhaps his most successful year as a doubles player in 2006, when he paired with Australia's Ashley Fisher. The pair reached the semifinals of the 2006 U.S. Open, a run that was highlighted by wins against Andy Murray as well as two of the Top 10 doubles teams in the world. Phillips and Fisher also won the doubles championship at the 2006 ATP event hosted in Tokyo.

In 2007, Phillips continued his success as an established doubles player, earning seeds in three of the four Grand Slam tournaments and reaching the round of 16 in the U.S. Open. In 2008, he qualified for Wimbledon, and also won the ATP event hosted in Indianapolis.

The background to Phillips' successful career on the ATP tour was an outstanding college career from 1996 to 2000 as a member of the tennis team at the UNC, where he was a tireless and intense competitor and valued team leader.

Phillips returned for a fifth-year senior season in 2000 after taking a medical redshirt, and earned All-America honors after posting a stellar 25-6 singles record at the top singles flight. During that season, he defeated top-ranked Daniel Anderson and third-ranked Shuon Madden in singles play while helping the Tar Heels to a second-place ACC finish and a No. 16 national ranking. Phillips dominated the conference at number one singles, posting a 12-2 record in ACC play. After the team competition in 2000 was over, he advanced to the quarterfinals of the individual portion of the NCAA Championships in singles, earning a No. 12 national ITA ranking to finish the season.

UNC honored Phillips' playing career and character with the 2000 Patterson Medal, a prestigious award given annually to the school's top male and female senior student-athletes. When he won the Patterson Medal, he was the first UNC tennis player to receive the award since Vic Seixas in 1950. He also captured the ITA's John Van Nostrand Memorial Award, which is given annually to an outstanding senior men's player who plans to pursue a professional tennis career upon graduation.

Phillips was born in Newport News, Va., on August 26, 1977, and grew up in Charlotte, N.C. He married Laura Zuger on November 4, 2006, and they have two sons: Owen T. Phillips IV and James Zuger Phillips.

### The Phillips File

#### Education:

- University of North Carolina (Bachelor's Degree, 2000)

#### College Coaching:

- University of North Carolina, Assistant Coach, 2006-13
- University of North Carolina, Associate Head Coach, 2013-Present

#### Career Highlights:

- 2000 first-team All-America and NCAA singles quarterfinalist
- 2003 Forest Hills Singles semifinalist with wins against Michael Chang (ATP career high: #2), Harold Levey (ATP career high: #30), and Oscar Hernandez (ATP career high: #48)
- Quarterfinalist or better at 13 ATP Tour events in 2006-07
- Won the 2006 ATP Tour event in Tokyo, Japan (\$765,000 purse) while serving as assistant coach at UNC
- 2006 U.S. Open Semifinalist in doubles
- Seeded at three of four 2007 Grand Slam events in doubles
- Reached 2007 U.S. Open round of 16 in doubles
- Won first tournament at 2008 U.S. Open Series in Indianapolis
- Played at 2008 Wimbledon in doubles
- 2006-08 doubles wins included the following foes: Andy Murray, Janko Tipsarevic, Gilles Simon, Marcos Baghdatis, Tommy Haas, Fernando Gonzales, Fabrice Santoro, Nicolas Pietrangeli, Vince Spadea, Benjamin Becker, Max Mirnyi, Jarkko Nieminen, Jurgen Melzer, Paradorn Srichaphan, Arnaud Clement, Paul Henri Mathieu

#### Awards:

- 2000 Patterson Medal winner at UNC
- 2016 ITA National Assistant Coach of the Year
- 2021 ITA Carolina Region Assistant Coach of the Year

## ROBERT KELLY

### Assistant Coach • First Season at UNC

Robert Kelly, one of Carolina's most decorated men's tennis players of the last decade, returned to Chapel Hill to join head coach Sam Paul's coaching staff in July of 2023.

The three-time All-America and Chapel Hill native, who played at Carolina from 2015-18 and helped the Tar Heels win their first national title at the 2016 ITA Team Indoor National Championships, serves as an

assistant coach alongside Paul and longtime associate head coach Tripp Phillips.

As a sophomore in 2016, Kelly teamed with Brett Clark to earn All-America honors in doubles. The two, who were ranked No. 1 at two separate points in the spring, finished fourth in the final rankings despite missing the NCAA Tournament due to injury. They were the first Tar Heels since 2006 to reach the No. 1 ranking in doubles. In 2017, Kelly teamed with William Blumberg to reach the NCAA doubles quarterfinals, again earning All-America honors. In Kelly's senior year, he again earned All-America doubles honors with Blumberg.

He became just the fourth player in program history to earn All-America honors in three separate seasons.

Kelly reached the finals of the ITA National Indoors doubles bracket with two different teammates (with Clark in 2016 and with Blumberg in 2018). A stellar student, he was an Academic All-ACC choice who served as a UNC team captain as a junior and senior.

During Kelly's career as a Tar Heel, Carolina finished in the top 11 of the final ITA team rankings all four years, including No. 6 in 2015, No. 3 in 2016, No. 5 in 2017 and No. 11 in 2018.

After graduation, he played on the professional tour and won a title at the Doubles ITF 15K in Claremont, Calif.





# Chewning Tennis Center

The University of North Carolina dedicated its beautiful, new outdoor tennis center in a special ceremony in April of 2023.

UNC officials and supporters gathered for the official ribbon-cutting for the Chewning Tennis Center, named in honor of former Carolina tennis student-athlete and longtime supporter Tom Chewning and his wife Nancy, which provides a new outdoor home for the Tar Heel men's and women's tennis programs.

The Chewning Tennis Center provides a championship-level experience to UNC student-athletes, as well as a top-notch viewing experience for fans.

"We couldn't be more grateful to Tom Chewning and the Chewning family for their generosity and dedication to the continued success of our tennis programs," says Carolina Director of Athletics Bubba Cunningham. "Many supporters stepped forward to make this new facility possible, and the Chewning Tennis Center is going to make a huge impact on the experience of every student-athlete who competes and trains here. I can't wait to watch our teams win in this beautiful facility for years to come."

The facility includes six new championship courts for competition, six practice courts adjacent to the competition area, elevated seating for fans to view matches and other viewing areas and amenities. Construction on the project began in January 2022 and was completed for a men's and women's doubleheader on March 31.

The \$18.5 million project was funded through private donations. During construction, additional improvements were made to the Cone-Kenfield Indoor Courts as well. The project was designed by HKS Architects, and Frank L. Blum Construction coordinated the building process.

"The Carolina family steps forward so often to meet the needs of our student-athletes and coaches," says John Montgomery, executive director of The Rams Club. "A wonderfully generous group of tennis supporters worked so hard to make this facility possible, and other donors showed through their gifts that they believe in building on the enormous success of these two programs. It's a special new home for Carolina Tennis, and

I thank Tom, Nancy and all of the people who stepped forward for this important project."

"Collegiate success to Grand Slam success, that's one way we recruit," says Sam Paul, Carolina's men's tennis coach since 1993. "Our recruiting mantra is you're going to get a world-class education and you're going to get world-class training – setting you up for the pro tour or whatever you do in life. We've got a lot of history of tennis at Carolina. These improvements will only allow us to build on that history and tradition."



## 2023 North Carolina Men's Tennis Dual Match Results 19-9, 9-3 Atlantic Coast Conference (tied 3rd place), NCAA Round of 16

Date	Opponent	Time/Result	Location	In/Out	Doubles	Record
1/19	Campbell	W, 7-0	Chapel Hill	Indoor	3-0	1-0
1/19	North Carolina Central	W, 7-0	Chapel Hill	Indoor	3-0	2-0
1/22	at #9 South Carolina	L, 3-4	Columbia, S.C.	Indoor	0-2	2-1
1/28	Oklahoma State-1	W, 4-0	Chapel Hill	Indoor	2-0	3-1
1/29	vs. #13 Harvard-1	W, 4-1	Chapel Hill	Indoor	2-0	4-1
2/4	Illinois	W, 4-0	Chapel Hill	Indoor	2-1	5-1
2/5	Texas Christian	L, 3-4	Chapel Hill	Indoor	1-2	5-2
2/12	Elon	W, 6-1	Chapel Hill	Indoor	2-0	6-2
2/17	vs. #6 USC-2	L, 1-4	Chicago, Ill.	Indoor	2-0	6-3
2/18	vs. #16 Florida-2	W, 4-2	Chicago, Ill.	Indoor	2-1	7-3
2/19	vs. #8 South Carolina-2	L, 3-4	Chicago, Ill.	Indoor	2-1	7-4
2/26	Boston College	W, 6-1	Chapel Hill	Outdoor	2-0	8-4, 1-0 ACC
3/3	at #40 Notre Dame	W, 4-2	Notre Dame, Ind.	Indoor	2-0	9-4, 2-0
3/5	at #20 Louisville	W, 4-0	Louisville, Ky.	Outdoor	2-0	10-4 3-0
3/12	Wofford	W, 7-0	Chapel Hill	Indoor	2-1	11-4
3/17	at #12 Virginia	L, 0-4	Charlottesville, Va.	Indoor	1-2	11-5, 3-1
3/19	at #63 Virginia Tech	W, 6-1	Blacksburg, Va.	Indoor	2-0	12-5, 4-1
3/24	at #68 Georgia Tech	W, 5-2	Atlanta, Ga.	Outdoor	2-1	13-5, 5-1
3/26	at #54 Clemson	W, 4-1	Clemson, S.C.	Indoor	2-0	14-5, 6-1
3/31	#23 NC State	L, 1-4	Chapel Hill	Outdoor/Indoor	1-2	14-6, 6-2
4/2	#16 Wake Forest	W, 4-3	Chapel Hill	Outdoor	2-1	15-6, 7-2
4/8	#16 Duke	L, 2-5	Chapel Hill	Indoor	0-2	15-7, 7-3
4/14	#19 Florida State	W, 4-1	Chapel Hill	Indoor	2-1	16-7, 8-3
4/16	#47 Miami	W, 4-2	Chapel Hill	Outdoor	2-0	17-7, 9-3
4/21	vs. #18 Florida State (ACC QF)-3	L, 2-4	Cary, N.C.	Outdoor	0-2	17-8
5/6	vs. #72 Drake (NCAA 1st round)-4	W, 4-1	Chapel Hill	Outdoor	1-2	18-8
5/7	vs. #17 Utah (NCAA 2nd round)-4	W, 4-0	Chapel Hill	Outdoor	2-0	19-8
5/13	at #1 Texas (NCAA 3rd round)-4	L, 0-4	Austin, Texas	Outdoor	0-2	19-9

1-ITA Kickoff Weekend, Chapel Hill

2-ITA National Team Indoors, Chicago, Ill.

3-ACC Championship, Cary, N.C.

4-NCAA Championship

### Singles Matrix

Player	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	Tourn.	Dual	ACC	Overall
Cernoch	11-10	1-0	—	—	—	—	—	12-10	3-7	12-10
Seggerman	1-1	14-5	—	—	—	—	6-2	15-6	6-2	21-8
Jansen	—	2-0	13-6	—	—	—	—	15-6	8-1	15-6
Poling	—	—	4-0	14-4	—	—	4-3	18-4	9-2	22-7
Watane	—	—	1-0	1-2	4-4	0-1	4-1	6-7	2-2	10-8
Li	—	—	—	—	2-4	3-1	2-1	5-5	0-3	7-6
Murphy	—	—	—	1-0	—	4-2	5-2	6-2	1-1	11-4
Kittay	—	—	—	0-1	2-2	5-1	5-2	7-4	5-2	12-6
Zapp	—	—	—	—	1-2	1-0	3-3	2-2	1-2	5-5
Lieberman	—	—	—	—	—	0-1	1-0	0-1	0-1	1-1
Dillon	—	—	—	—	—	—	0-1	—	—	0-1
<b>Overall</b>	<b>12-11</b>	<b>17-5</b>	<b>18-6</b>	<b>16-7</b>	<b>9-12</b>	<b>13-6</b>	<b>31-18</b>	<b>86-47</b>	<b>35-22</b>	<b>112-65</b>

### Doubles Matrix

Players	#1	#2	#3	Tourn.	Dual	ACC	Overall
Kania/Seggerman	11-8	—	—	1-0	11-8	5-2	12-8
Cernoch/Kittay	2-0	10-7	—	—	12-7	4-3	12-7
Poling/Jansen	—	3-2	12-4	—	15-6	7-3	15-6
Poling/Murphy	—	—	1-1	2-1	1-1	—	3-2
Kania/Murphy	—	—	2-1	—	2-1	2-1	2-1
Seggerman/Kittay	—	—	—	2-1	—	—	2-1
Zapp/Murphy	—	—	—	2-1	—	—	2-1
Poling/Li	—	—	—	2-1	—	—	2-1
Kittay/Zapp	—	—	1-1	3-1	1-1	1-1	4-2
<b>Overall</b>	<b>13-8</b>	<b>13-9</b>	<b>16-7</b>	<b>12-5</b>	<b>41-25</b>	<b>19-10</b>	<b>53-29</b>

# TAR HEELS

## Year-by-Year Results

Year	Record	Conf. Finish	Nat'l Finish*	Head Coach
1908	2-0			None
1909	2-1			None
1910	6-0			None
1911	No Team			
1912	2-1			None
1913	0-0			None
1914	0-1			None
1915	No Team			
1916	1-1			None
1917	2-0			None
1918	1-1			None
1919	No Team			
1920	0-2			None
1921	0-2			None
1922	8-0-2			None
1923	7-0			None
1924	3-1-1			None
1925	6-3			None
1926	6-0-1			None
1927	6-2-1			None
1928	10-1			John Kenfield
1929	7-1			John Kenfield
1930	10-0-1	Champion		John Kenfield
1931	14-0	Champion		John Kenfield
1932	14-0	Champion		John Kenfield
1933	14-0	Champion		John Kenfield
1934	15-1			John Kenfield
1935	18-1			John Kenfield
1936	16-0	Champion		John Kenfield
1937	18-0	Champion		John Kenfield
1938	14-2-1			John Kenfield
1939	19-0	Champion		John Kenfield
1940	16-0	Champion		John Kenfield
1941	18-0	Champion		John Kenfield
1942	14-1	Champion		John Kenfield
1943	7-1	Champion		John Kenfield
1944	2-2	Champion		John Kenfield
1945	3-4			John Kenfield
1946	10-1			John Kenfield
1947	21-1		Tied 3rd	John Kenfield
1948	19-1		Tied 3rd	John Kenfield
1949	23-1		8th	John Kenfield
1950	22-2	Champion		John Kenfield
1951	20-5	Champion		John Kenfield
1952	24-2			John Kenfield
1953	23-0	Champion		John Kenfield
Year	Record	ACC Finish#	Natl. Finish*	Head Coach
1954	22-2	1st		John Kenfield
1955	21-1	1st		John Kenfield
1956	18-1-1	1st		Ham Strayhorn
1957	8-9	2nd		Vladimir Cernik
1958	11-2	1st		Vladimir Cernik
1959	12-3	1st		Don Skakle
1960	14-2	1st		Don Skakle
1961	15-6	1st		Don Skakle
1962	22-1	1st		Don Skakle
1963	18-1	1st	Tied 10th	Don Skakle
1964	16-2	2nd		Don Skakle

1965	20-0	1st		Don Skakle
1966	19-1	1st		Don Skakle
1967	19-1	1st	Tied 22nd	Don Skakle
1968	17-2	2nd		Don Skakle
1969	19-1	2nd		Don Skakle
1970	18-0	1st	Tied 20th	Don Skakle
1971	22-2	2nd	Tied 10th	Don Skakle
1972	17-3	1st	Tied 5th	Don Skakle
1973	24-1	1st	Tied 11th	Don Skakle
1974	19-3	1st	7th	Don Skakle
1975	23-2	1st	Tied 25th	Don Skakle
1976	21-2	1st	Tied 13th	Don Skakle
1977	22-2	1st	14th	Don Skakle
1978	23-5	Tied 2nd	18th	Don Skakle
1979	15-10	6th		Don Skakle
1980	23-5	4th		Don Skakle
1981	18-10	Tied 5th		Allen Morris
1982	15-11	Tied 3rd		Allen Morris
1983	22-6	2nd		Allen Morris
1984	22-11	4th		Allen Morris
1985	19-13	Tied 2nd		Allen Morris
1986	14-16	Tied 3rd		Allen Morris
1987	21-5	Tied 2nd		Allen Morris
1988	14-14	8th		Allen Morris
1989	17-9	3rd		Allen Morris
1990	19-8	3rd	24th	Allen Morris
1991	20-7	1st	17th	Allen Morris
1992	25-5	1st	8th	Allen Morris
1993	18-9	2nd	17th	Allen Morris
1994	16-9	Tied 2nd	Tied 19th	Sam Paul
1995	14-11	Tied 3rd	Tied 33rd	Sam Paul
1996	21-5	1st	16th	Sam Paul
1997	13-8	Tied 3rd	36th	Sam Paul
1998	15-10	2nd	49th	Sam Paul
1999	11-14	Tied 5th	63rd	Sam Paul
2000	18-6	2nd	21st	Sam Paul
2001	11-9	Tied 2nd	36th	Sam Paul
2002	19-6	2nd	26th	Sam Paul
2003	11-12	Tied 6th	50th	Sam Paul
2004	23-5	Tied 1st	17th	Sam Paul
2005	16-11	Tied 7th	34th	Sam Paul
2006	25-5	Tied 4th	12th	Sam Paul
2007	24-4	2nd	10th	Sam Paul
2008	21-6	2nd	13th	Sam Paul
2009	17-11	8th	32nd	Sam Paul
2010	18-7	3rd	20th	Sam Paul
2011	16-8	Tied 2nd	18th	Sam Paul
2012	15-8	Tied 2nd	16th	Sam Paul
2013	12-13	Tied 7th	52nd	Sam Paul
2014	27-6	3rd	7th	Sam Paul
2015	24-11	Tied 4th	11th	Sam Paul
2016	28-5	Tied 3rd	5th	Sam Paul
2017	29-5	3rd	3rd	Sam Paul
2018	24-6	Tied 1st	6th	Sam Paul
2019	22-7	3rd	7th	Sam Paul
2020	12-1	—	2nd*	Sam Paul
2021	21-4	3rd	6th	Sam Paul
2022	18-9	Tied 3rd	14th	Sam Paul
2023	19-9	Tied 3rd	14th	Sam Paul
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1692-456-8 (.787)</b>			

\* **National Finish:** 1908-1976 (NCAA Tournament finishes; team points awarded in flight tournament); 1977-present (Final Intercollegiate Tennis Association ranking); \*2020 (final poll issued in March due to cancellation of season)

# **ACC Finish:** Final placing in ACC regular season standings

### Southern Conference Championship Years (15)

1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1936, 1937, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1950, 1951, 1953

### ACC Tournament Championship Years (25)

1954, 1955, 1956, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1990, 1992, 2002

## Postseason Play

### UNC in the NCAA Tournament

Year	Place	Site
1947	Tied 3rd	Los Angeles, Calif. (UCLA)
1948	Tied 3rd	Los Angeles, Calif. (UCLA)
1949	8th	Austin, Texas
1963	Tied 10th	Princeton, N.J.
1967	Tied 22nd	Carbondale, Ill.
1970	Tied 20th	Salt Lake City, Utah
1971	Tied 10th	South Bend, Ind.
1972	Tied 5th	Athens, Ga.
1973	Tied 11th	Princeton, N.J.
1974	7th	Los Angeles, Calif. (USC)
1975	Tied 13th	Edinburg, Texas
1976	18th	Edinburg, Texas

### UNC in the NCAA Team Tournament (42-30)

Year	Opponent	Result	Round	Site
1976	USC	L 4-5	Sweet 16	Athens, Ga.
1977	UCLA	L 2-7	Sweet 16	Athens, Ga.
1992	TCU	W 5-3	Sweet 16	Athens, Ga.
	UCLA	L 2-5	Quarterfinal	Athens, Ga.
1993	Harvard	W 5-3	Round of 20	Athens, Ga.
	USC	L 2-5	Sweet 16	Athens, Ga.
1994	Clemson	W 4-2	Regional 1st Rnd	Columbia, S.C.
	South Carolina	W 4-2	Regional 2nd Rnd	Columbia, S.C.
	Georgia Tech	L 3-4	Regional Final	Columbia, S.C.
1995	Clemson	L 3-4	Regional 1st Rnd	Norfolk, Va.
1996	La.-Lafayette	W 4-2	Regional 1st Rnd	Austin, Texas
	Texas	L 2-4	Regional Final	Austin, Texas
1997	Clemson	L 0-4	Regional 1st Rnd	Atlanta, Ga.
1998	Georgia Tech	W 4-1	Regional 1st Rnd	Richmond, Va.
	South Carolina	L 1-4	Regional Final	Richmond, Va.
2000	Ball State	W 4-1	Regional 1st Rnd	Knoxville, Tenn.
	Tennessee	L 2-4	Regional Final	Knoxville, Tenn.
2001	Arkansas	L 0-4	Regional 1st Rnd	Dallas, Texas
2002	Virginia Tech	L 2-4	Regional 1st Rnd	Knoxville, Tenn.
2003	Oklahoma State	L 0-4	Regional 1st Rnd	Minneapolis, Minn.
2004	S.C. State	W 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill.
	Ohio State	L 3-4	Regional Final	Chapel Hill
2005	Boise State	L 1-4	Regional 1st Rnd	Boise, Idaho
2006	S.C. State	W 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Clemson	W 4-1	Regional Final	Chapel Hill
	Ohio State	L 0-4	Sweet 16	Palo Alto, Calif.
2007	Radford	W 4-1	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	NC State	L 0-4	Regional Final	Chapel Hill

2008	S.C. State	W 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Duke	W 4-2	Regional Final	Chapel Hill
	Mississippi	L 2-4	Sweet 16	Tulsa, Okla.
2009	South Carolina	W 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Charlottesville, Va.
	Virginia	L 0-4	Regional Final	Charlottesville, Va.
2010	Nebraska	W 4-1	Regional 1st Rnd	Durham, N.C.
	Duke	L 1-4	Regional Final	Durham, N.C.
2011	Eastern Kentucky	W 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Champaign, Ill.
	Illinois	L 1-4	Regional Final	Champaign, Ill.
2012	Coll. Charleston	W 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Tennessee	W 4-0	Regional Final	Chapel Hill
	Georgia	L 0-4	Sweet 16	Athens, Ga.
2014	S.C. State	W 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	South Carolina	W 4-1	Regional Final	Chapel Hill
	Georgia	W 4-2	Sweet 16	Athens, Ga.
	Oklahoma	L 2-4	Quarterfinal	Athens, Ga.
2015	William & Mary	W 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Mississippi St.	W 4-1	Regional 2nd Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Illinois	W 4-3	Sweet 16	Waco, Texas
	TCU	L 1-4	Quarterfinal	Waco, Texas
2016	Coll. Charleston	W 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Tulane	W 4-0	Regional 2nd Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Mississippi St.	W 4-0	Sweet 16	Tulsa, Okla.
	Georgia	L 0-4	Quarterfinal	Tulsa, Okla.
2017	VCU	W 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	South Carolina	W 4-1	Regional 2nd Rnd	Chapel Hill
	California	W 4-1	Sweet 16	Athens, Ga.
	Wake Forest	W 4-2	Quarterfinal	Athens, Ga.
	Georgia	W 4-3	Semifinal	Athens, Ga.
	Virginia	L 2-4	Championship	Athens, Ga.
2018	Campbell	W, 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Tennessee	W, 4-0	Regional 2nd Rnd	Chapel Hill
	USC	L, 2-4	Sweet 16	Winston-Salem, N.C.
2019	Navy	W, 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Georgia	W, 4-1	Regional 2nd Rnd	Chapel Hill
	USC	W, 4-1	Sweet 16	Los Angeles, Calif.
	Ohio State	W, 4-2	Quarterfinal	Orlando, Fla.
	Wake Forest	L, 3-4	Semifinal	Orlando, Fla.
2020	NCAA Tournament canceled due to Covid-19 pandemic.			
2021	Presbyterian	W, 4-0	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Oklahoma State	W, 4-0	Regional 2nd Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Georgia	L, 3-4	Sweet 16	Orlando, Fla.
2022	Navy	W, 4-1	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Arizona	W, 4-1	Regional 2nd Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Florida	L, 0-4	Sweet 16	Gainesville, Fla.
2023	Drake	W, 4-1	Regional 1st Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Utah	W, 4-0	Regional 2nd Rnd	Chapel Hill
	Texas	L, 0-4	Sweet 16	Austin, Texas

### ACC Regular-Season Year-by-Year

1954	5-0	1978	4-2
1955	5-0	1979	1-5
1956	6-0	1980	4-3
1957	5-1	1981	3-4
1958	6-0	1982	4-3
1959	7-0	1983	6-1
1960	7-0	1984	4-3
1961	7-0	1985	5-2
1962	7-0	1986	4-3
1963	7-0	1987	5-1
1964	6-1	1988	0-7
1965	7-0	1989	5-2
1966	7-0	1990	5-2
1967	7-0	1991	6-0
1968	6-1	1992	8-0
1969	6-1	1993	7-1
1970	7-0	1994	6-2
1971	6-1	1995	6-2
1972	6-0	1996	8-0
1973	6-0	1997	5-3
1974	6-0	1998	6-2
1975	6-0	1999	3-5
1976	6-0	2000	6-2
1977	6-0	2001	6-2

### ACC Tournament History

2002	7-1	1986	7th
2003	3-5	1987	Rained out
2004	7-1	1988	6th
2005	4-6	1989	Runner-up
2006	8-3	1990	Champion
2007	9-2	1991	Runner-up
2008	9-1	1992	Champion
2009	4-7	1993	Runner-up
2010	7-3	1994	2nd round
2011	9-2	1995	Semifinals
2012	9-2	1996	Runner-up
2013	4-6	1997	2nd round
2014	9-2	1998	Semifinals
2015	8-4	1999	Quarterfinals
2016	9-3	2000	Runner-up
2017	10-2	2001	Quarterfinals
2018	11-1	2002	Champion
2019	9-3	2003	Quarterfinals
2020	2-0	2004	Semifinals
2021	9-2	2005	Semifinals
2022	9-3	2006	Quarterfinals
2023	9-3		

2007	Runner-up
2008	Quarterfinals
2009	Quarterfinals
2010	Quarterfinals
2011	Semifinals
2012	Semifinals
2013	Quarterfinals
2014	Runner-up
2015	Semifinals
2016	Semifinals
2017	Semifinals
2018	Runner-up
2019	Semifinals
2020	Tournament canceled (Covid)
2021	Runner-up
2022	Runner-up
2023	Quarterfinals

#### All-Time ACC Titles (Since 1954)

North Carolina	25
Virginia	15
Duke	12
Clemson	11
Wake Forest	3
Maryland	2
NC State	2
South Carolina	1

## Awards and Honors

### Southern Conference Singles Champions Through 1953

1933 — Wilmer Hines  
 1935 — Walt Levitan  
 1936, 1937 — Ramsay Potts  
 1938 — John Foreman  
 1939 — Carl Rood  
 1940 — Harris Everett  
 1941 — Zan Carver  
 1942 — Harris Everett  
 1948 — Vic Seixas  
 1951 — Buddy Ager  
 1952, 1953 — Del Sylvia

### ACC Singles Champions (Discontinued following 2001 season.)

1955 — Tommy Bradford  
 1958 — Bob Bortner  
 1960 — Bruce Sylvia  
 1962, 1963, 1964 — George Sokol  
 1965 — #1, O.H. Parrish; #2, Bronson Van Wyck; #3, Nat West; #5, Tom Chewning  
 1966 — #2, Bronson Van Wyck; #3, Bob Davis; #4, Tom Chewning; #5, Nat West; #6, Ken Oettinger  
 1967 — #1, Gene Hamilton; #3, Bronson Van Wyck; #4, Tom Chewning; #5, Smokey Swenson  
 1969 — #2, Joe Dorn; #3, Jimmy Corn; #4, Fred Rawlings; #5, Allen Lassiter; #6, Mike Kernodle  
 1970 — #1, Lee Langstroth; #2, Freddie McNair; #3, Eddie Shelton; #4, Jimmy Corn; #5, Fred Rawlings  
 1971 — #1, Freddie McNair; #2, Jimmy Corn; #3, Forrest Simmons; #4, Richie McKee; #6, Mike Kernodle  
 1972 — #1, Freddie McNair; #2, Jimmy Corn; #3, Richie McKee; #4, John McNair  
 1973 — #4, Rich Hardaway; #6, Tommy Dixon  
 1974 — #3, Billy Brock; #4, Tommy Dixon; #5, Joe Garcia; #6, Dave Oberstein  
 1975 — #1, Billy Brock; #2, Joe Garcia; #3, Tommy Dixon; #5, Dave Oberstein  
 1976 — #3, Earl Hassler; #4, Dave Oberstein; #5, Junie Chatman; #6, Cliff Skakle  
 1977 — #3, Junie Chatman; #4, Cliff Skakle; #5, Jon Kraut; #6, Gary Taxman  
 1978 — #2, Junie Chatman  
 1983 — #2, Ron Erskine; #5, Ken Whitaker  
 1984 — #2, Wayne Hearn  
 1985 — #2, Jeff Chambers  
 1990 — #6, Thomas Tanner  
 1991 — #1, Roland Thornqvist; #6, Chris Mumford  
 1992 — #2, Bryan Jones; #5, Chris Mumford; #6, Joe Frierson  
 1993 — #1, Roland Thornqvist; #2, David Caldwell; #5, Brint Morrow; #6, Cooper Pulliam  
 1994 — #1, David Caldwell; #2, Brint Morrow  
 1995 — #1, David Caldwell; #6, David Britt  
 1996 — #1, David Caldwell; #2, Rob Tedesco; #3, Brint Morrow; #6, Tony Thomas  
 1997 — #3, Paul Harsanyi; #4, Tony Thomas  
 1998 — #3, Adam Seri  
 2000 — #3, David Cheatwood; #4, Marcio Petrone; #6 Chad Riley  
 2001 — #3, David Cheatwood

### Southern Conference Doubles Through 1953.

1931 — Wilmer Hines and Bitsy Grant  
 1933 — Wilmer Hines and Lenoir Wright  
 1935 — Walt Levitan and Harvey Harris  
 1936, 1937 — Ramsay Potts and Eddie Fuller  
 1938 — Bill Rawlings and Carl Rood  
 1940 — Bill Rawlings and Charlie Rider  
 1941, 1942 — Ham Anthony and Harris Everett  
 1949 — Vic Seixas and Clark Taylor  
 1951 — Buddy Ager and Bob Luxenberg  
 1952 — Herbie Browne and Bobby Payne  
 1953 — Tommy Bradford and Don Thompson

### ACC Doubles Champions (Discontinued following 2001 season.)

1955 — Tommy Bradford and Herbie Browne  
 1956 — Tommy Bradford and John Foster  
 1958 — Steve Bank and Bob Bortner  
 1959 — Geoffrey Black and Ben Keys  
 1960 — Ben Keys and Bruce Sylvia  
 1961 — Bruce Sylvia and Keith Stoneman  
 1962 — Bitsy Harrison and Ted Hoehn  
 1963 — George Sokol and Keith Stoneman  
 1964 — Ted Hoehn and O.H. Parrish  
 1965 — #1, O.H. Parrish and Bronson Van Wyck; #2, Andy Goddard and Ken Oettinger; #3, Tom Chewning and Nat West  
 1967 — #2, Gene Hamilton and Bill Trott; #3, Smokey Swenson and Bronson Van Wyck  
 1968 — #2, Gene Hamilton and Bill Trott  
 1970 — #1, Joe Dorn and Freddie McNair; #2, Lee Langstroth and Forrest Simmons; #3, Jimmy Corn and Fred Rawlings  
 1971 — #1, Richie McKee and Freddie McNair; #2, Jimmy Corn and Rich Hardaway; #3, Joe Garcia and Forrest Simmons  
 1972 — #1, Richie McKee and Freddie McNair  
 1973 — #2, Tommy Dixon and Rich Hardaway; #3, Billy Brock and Forrest Simmons  
 1974 — #2, Tommy Dixon and Rich Hardaway  
 1975 — #1, Billy Brock and Tommy Dixon  
 1976 — #3, Junie Chatman and Cliff Skakle  
 1978 — #2, Cliff Skakle and Gary Taxman  
 1986 — #2, David Pollack and Jimmy Weilbaecher  
 1990 — #3, Joe Frierson and Bryan Jones  
 1991 — #2, Andre Janasik and Sean Steinour; #3, Joe Frierson and Thomas Tanner  
 1993 — #1, Roland Thornqvist and Daryl Wyatt; #3, David Caldwell and Brint Morrow  
 1996 — #2, Tony Thomas and Tripp Phillips; #3, Rob Tedesco and Paul Harsanyi  
 2001 — #3, Trystan Meniane and Chad Riley

The Southern Conference decided a sole singles champion throughout Carolina's membership in the league. The Southern Conference decided a sole doubles championship team throughout Carolina's membership in the league. In addition to those listed, Carolina also won doubles championships in 1922 and 1923 but research has been unable to attach the names of the champions to those years. The Atlantic Coast Conference decided sole singles and doubles champions from 1954 to 1964. Beginning in 1965, ACC champions were determined by flight. The ACC discontinued the practice of naming flight champions following the 2001 season. It now merely names an All-ACC Team.

## Awards and Honors

### All-Atlantic Coast Conference Teams

**1984** — Wayne Hearn; **1985** — Jeff Chambers, Wayne Hearn, Eddie Stewart; **1986** — Jeff Chambers; **1987** — Jeff Chambers, Don Johnson, Eddie Stewart; **1989** — Don Johnson, David Pollack; **1990** — Don Johnson, Bryan Jones; **1991** — Chris Mumford, Roland Thornqvist; **1992** — Joe Frierson, Bryan Jones, Chris Mumford, Roland Thornqvist; **1993** — David Caldwell, Cooper Pulliam, Roland Thornqvist; **1994** — David Caldwell, Brint Morrow; **1995** — David Caldwell, Brint Morrow; **1996** — David Caldwell, Brint Morrow, Rob Tedesco; **1997** — Tripp Phillips, Paul Harsanyi, Rob Tedesco; **1998** — Rob Tedesco, Tripp Phillips, Adam Seri; **1999** — Assaf Drori; **2000** — Tripp Phillips, Marcio Petrone; **2001** — Marcio Petrone; **2002** — Andy Metzler, Nick Monroe, Marcio Petrone; **2003** — Nick Monroe, Trystan Meniane, Derek Porter; **2004** — Nick Monroe, Raian Luchici, Jonathan Janda, Geoff Boyd; **2005** — Raian Luchici; **2006** — Raian Luchici; **2007** — Benjamin Carlotti, Chris Kearney; **2008** — Clay Donato, Stefan Hardy, Chris Kearney; **2009** — Clay Donato, Taylor Fogleman; **2010** — Clay Donato, Jose Hernandez; **2011** — Stefan Hardy, Jose Hernandez, Brennan Boyajian; **2012** — Brennan Boyajian, Jose Hernandez; **2013** — Esben Hess-Olesen; **2014** — 1st: Brayden Schnur, Ronnie Schneider; 2nd: Brett Clark; **2015** — 1st: Brayden Schnur, Ronnie Schneider; 2nd: Brett Clark; 3rd: Jack Murray; **2016** — 1st: Brayden Schnur, Ronnie Schneider; 2nd: Brett Clark; 3rd: Robert Kelly; **2017** — 1st: Ronnie Schneider, William Blumberg; 2nd: Robert Kelly; **2018** — 1st: William Blumberg, Benjamin Sigouin; 2nd: Robert Kelly; 3rd: Blaine Boyden; **2019** — 1st: William Blumberg, Benjamin Sigouin; 2nd: Brian Cernoch; 3rd: Blaine Boyden, Josh Peck; **2020**—no team due to Covid-19; **2021**—1st: William Blumberg, Rinky Hijikata; 2nd: Brian Cernoch; 3rd: Benjamin Sigouin; **2022**—1st: Brian Cernoch; 2nd: Benjamin Sigouin; 3rd: Mac Kiger; **2023**—Singles: Ryan Seggerman (2nd); Brian Cernoch (3rd); Doubles: Ryan Seggerman and Casey Kania (1st)

### All-ACC Academic Team

**2006** — Raian Luchici, Sebastian Guejman, Benjamin Carlotti; **2007** — Sebastian Guejman, Lenny Gullan, David Stone; **2008** — Benjamin Carlotti, Will Plyler; **2011** — William Parker; **2012** — Jose Hernandez, Esben Hess-Olesen, William Parker; **2013** — Brett Clark; **2014** — Ronnie Schneider; **2015** — Ronnie Schneider; **2017** — William Blumberg, Blaine Boyden, Robert Kelly, Ronnie Scheider; **2018** — Blaine Boyden, Benjamin Sigouin; **2019** — Blaine Boyden, Brian Cernoch, Josh Peck; **2022** — Brian Cernoch, Peter Murphy, Anuj Watane, Logan Zapp; **2023** — Peter Murphy

### ACC Scholar-Athlete of the Year

**2022** — Brian Cernoch

### ACC Player of the Year

**1985** — Wayne Hearn; **1992** — Bryan Jones; **1993** — Roland Thornqvist; **1994** — David Caldwell; **1995** — David Caldwell; **1996** — David Caldwell; **2018** — William Blumberg

### ACC Players of the Week

**March 12, 2001**—Chad Riley; **April 3, 2001** — David Cheatwood; **April 16, 2001**—Chad Riley; **March 11, 2002**—Daniel Pinchbeck; **April 1, 2002**—Marcio Petrone; **April 15, 2002**—Nick Monroe; **April 21, 2002**—Marcio Petrone; **February 3, 2003**—Daniel Pinchbeck; **February 16, 2004** — Nick Monroe; **March 8, 2004** — Brad Pomeroy; **March 29, 2004** — Raian Luchici; **April 5, 2004** — Nick Monroe; **March 28, 2005** — Benjamin Carlotti; **January 23, 2006** — Raian Luchici; **February 6, 2006** — Raian Luchici; **April 17, 2006** — Raian Luchici; **April 15, 2008** — Chris Kearney; **March 17, 2009** — Taylor Fogleman; **February 2, 2010** — Clay Donato; **January 18, 2011** — Jose Hernandez; **March 16, 2011** — Stefan Hardy; **April 5, 2011** — Jose Hernandez; **April 19, 2011** — Brennan Boyajian; **January 31, 2012** — Esben Hess-Olesen; **April 4, 2012** — Jose Hernandez; **April 18, 2012** — Jose Hernandez; **January 21, 2014**—Brayden Schnur; **March 18, 2014**—Ronnie Schneider; **March 3, 2015**—Ronnie Schneider; **Jan. 29, 2016**—Brett Clark; **Feb. 9, 2016**—Jack Murray; **Feb. 16, 2016**—Brayden Schnur; **April 5, 2016**—Brayden Schnur; **Jan. 31, 2017**—Ronnie Schneider; **April 2, 2019** — William Blumberg; **February 4, 2020**—William Blumberg; **February 11, 2020**—Benjamin Sigouin; **March 10, 2020**—Benjamin Sigouin; **February 16, 2021**—Brian Cernoch; **March 1, 2022**—Brian Cernoch; **February 7, 2023**—Brian

Cernoch

### ACC Doubles Team of the Week

**February 16, 2021**—William Blumberg & Brian Cernoch; **February 1, 2022**—Brian Cernoch & Mac Kiger; **February 15, 2022**—Brian Cernoch & Mac Kiger; **April 5, 2022**—Brian Cernoch & Mac Kiger; **February 7, 2023**—Casey Kania & Ryan Seggerman; **February 21, 2023**—Brian Cernoch & Benjamin Kittay

### ACC Tournament MVP

**1990** — Don Johnson; **1992** — Bryan Jones; **2002** — Marcio Petrone

### ACC Freshman of the Year

**1994** — Paul Harsanyi; **1999** - Bjorn Rencken; **2007** — Chris Kearney; **2014**—Brayden Schnur; **2017**—William Blumberg; **2018**—Benjamin Sigouin

### ACC Coach of the Year

**1983, 1990, 1992** — Allen Morris  
**1996, 2000, 2002, 2004, 2007, 2014** — Sam Paul

### ACC Alphonso C. Smith Sportsmanship Award

**1974** — Richie McKee; **1977** — Earl Hassler; **1980** — Gary Taxman

### ITA Regional Senior Player of the Year

**1992** — Bryan Jones; **1993** — Roland Thornqvist; **1996** — David Caldwell; **2006** — Raian Luchici; **2017** — Ronnie Schneider; **2020** — William Blumberg

### ITA Regional Most Improved Senior

**2022** — Brian Cernoch

### ITA Regional Rookie of the Year

**1989** — Bryan Jones; **1993** — David Caldwell; **2007** — Stefan Hardy; **2014** —Brayden Schnur; **2017** — William Blumberg; **2018** — Benjamin Sigouin; **2020** — Rinky Hijikata

### ITA Regional Arthur Ashe Jr. Leadership & Sportsmanship Award

**1990** — Don Johnson; **1992** — Roland Thornqvist; **1995** — David Caldwell; **2003** — Nick Monroe; **2012** — Jose Hernandez; **2016** — Brett Clark; **2017** — Ronnie Schneider; **2021** — William Blumberg

### ITA Regional Player to Watch

**1994** — David Caldwell; **2010** — Jose Hernandez; **2011** — Brennan Boyajian; **2014**—Ronnie Schneider; **2020** — Benjamin Sigouin

### ITA Regional Jon Van Nostrand Memorial Award

**2000** — Tripp Phillips; **2004** — Nick Monroe

### ITA Regional Rafael Osuna Sportsmanship Award

**2012** — Jose Hernandez; **2021** — William Blumberg

### ITA Regional Coach of the Year

**1992** — Allen Morris; **1996** — Sam Paul; **2000** — Sam Paul; **2004** — Sam Paul; **2007** — Sam Paul; **2017** — Sam Paul

### ITA Regional Assistant Coach of the Year

**2011** — Tripp Phillips; **2016** — Tripp Phillips; **2021** — Tripp Phillips

### ITA National Jon Van Nostrand Memorial Award

**2000** — Tripp Phillips; **2004** — Nick Monroe

### ITA National Assistant Coach of the Year

**2006** — Don Johnson; **2016** — Tripp Phillips

### ITA Rafael Osuna Sportsmanship Award

## Awards and Honors

1992, 1993 — Roland Thornqvist; 1995 — David Caldwell; 2021 — William Blumberg

### ITA National Indoor Singles Champion

1993 — Roland Thornqvist; 2014—Brayden Schnur

### ITA National Rookie of the Year

2014 – Brayden Schnur; 2017 – William Blumberg

### ITA National Coach of the Year

2017 – Sam Paul

### ITA National Player to Watch

1994 – David Caldwell

### ITA National Senior Player of the Year

2006 – Raian Luchici; 2017 – Ronnie Schneider; 2020 – William Blumberg

### NCAA Tournament Most Outstanding Player

2017 – William Blumberg

### ITA Nationally Ranked Singles Players

1984 — Wayne Hearn, 53rd; Jeff Chambers, 63rd; 1985 — Wayne Hearn, 31st; Jeff Chambers, 43rd; Eddie Stewart, 95th; 1986 — Jeff Chambers, 80th; David Pollack, 105th; 1987 — Jeff Chambers, 74th; 1989 — David Pollack, 64th; Don Johnson, 90th; 1990 — Bryan Jones, 59th; Don Johnson, 60th; 1991 — Woody Webb, 58th; Roland Thornqvist, 66th; Andre Janasik, 95th; 1992 — Roland Thornqvist, 7th; Bryan Jones, 20th; Woody Webb, 79th; 1993 — Roland Thornqvist, 4th; David Caldwell, 74th; 1994 — David Caldwell, 14th; Brint Morrow, 67th; Paul Harsanyi, 91st; 1995 — David Caldwell, 12th; Brint Morrow, 37th; 1996 — David Caldwell, 21st; Brint Morrow, 91st; 1997 — Tripp Phillips, 41st; 1998 — Tripp Phillips, 69th; 2000— Tripp Phillips, 12th; 2002--Marcio Petrone, 38th; Trystan Meniane, 118th; 2003--Trystan Meniane, 39th; Nick Monroe, 72nd; 2004 – Nick Monroe, 21st; 2005 – Raian Luchici, 56th; Benjamin Carlotti, 109th; 2006 – Raian Luchici, 15th; 2008 – Stefan Hardy, 83rd; Chris Kearney, 99th; Benjamin Carlotti, 113th; 2009 – Clay Donato, 31st; Taylor Fogleman, 67th; 2010 – Clay Donato, 41st; Jose Hernandez, 46th; 88th; Stefan Hardy, 90th; Brennan Boyajian, 93rd; Ryan Noble 2011 — Jose Hernandez, 30th; Brennan Boyajian, 86th; 2012 – Jose Hernandez, 30th; Brennan Boyajian, 91st; 2013 – Esben Hess-Olesen, 46th; 2014 – Brayden Schnur, 13th; Ronnie Schneider, 37th; 2015 – Brayden Schnur, 16th; Ronnie Schneider, 24th; Brett Clark, 87th; 2016 – Ronnie Schneider, 23rd; Brayden Schnur, 30th; Brett Clark, 53rd; Robert Kelly, 121st; 2017 – William Blumberg, 6th; Ronnie Schneider, 24th; Robert Kelly, 84th; 2018 – William Blumberg, 2nd; Benjamin Sigouin, 45th; Robert Kelly, 89th; 2019 – William Blumberg, 14th; Benjamin Sigouin, 20th; Brian Cernoch, 88th; Josh Peck, 90th; 2020 (final rankings as of March 3 due to Covid-19)— William Blumberg, 9th; Benjamin Sigouin 53rd; Rinky Hijikata 67th; Josh Peck 85th; 2021 – William Blumberg, 14th; Rinky Hijikata, 22nd; Benjamin Sigouin, 62nd; Brian Cernoch, 66th; 2022 – Brian Cernoch, 25th; 2023 – Brian Cernoch, 43rd; Ryan Seggerman 60th

### ITA Nationally-Ranked Doubles Teams

1984 — Jeff Chambers and Wayne Hearn, 28th; 1985 — Jeff Chambers and Wayne Hearn, 24th; 1986 — Jeff Chambers and Mark DeMattheis, 47th; 1987 — Jeff Chambers and Eddie Stewart, 28th; 1989 — Don Johnson and David Pollack, 22nd; 1991 — Andre Janasik and Sean Steinour, 33rd; 1992 — Chris Mumford and Roland Thornqvist, 14th; 1993 — Roland Thornqvist and Daryl Wyatt, 10th; 1994 — David Caldwell and Brint Morrow, 21st; 1995 — David Caldwell and Brint Morrow, 9th; 1996 — David Caldwell and Brint Morrow, 27th; 1998 — Rob Tedesco and Tony Thomas, 48th; 2003 — Trystan Meniane and Nick Monroe, 18th; 2004 — Nick Monroe and Geoff Boyd, 17th; 2006 — Raian Luchici and Brad Pomeroy, 6th; 2008 — Taylor Fogleman and Chris Kearney, 4th; Clay Donato and Stefan Hardy, 56th; 2009 — Clay Donato and Taylor Fogleman, 11th; 2010 — Clay Donato and Stefan Hardy, 11th; 2011 — Jose Hernandez and Brennan Boyajian, 31st; Joey Burkhardt and Stefan Hardy, 38th; 2012 — Joey Burkhardt and Jose Hernandez,

17th; Brennan Boyajian and Oystein Steiro, 60th; 2014 — Brett Clark and Brayden Schnur, 22nd; 2015 – Brett Clark and Robert Kelly, 51st; Oystein Steiro and Esben Hess-Olesen, 54th; 2016 – Brett Clark and Robert Kelly, 4th; Jack Murray and Brayden Schnur, 21st; 2017 – William Blumberg and Robert Kelly, 4th; Jack Murray and Simon Soendergaard, 62nd; 2018 – William Blumberg and Robert Kelly, 3rd; 2019 – William Blumberg and Blaine Boyden 7th; Brian Cernoch and Benjamin Sigouin, 65th; 2020—Mac Kiger and Simon Soendergaard 4th; William Blumberg and Brian Cernoch 13th; 2021—William Blumberg and Brian Cernoch, 4th; Mac Kiger and Simon Soendergaard, 62nd; 2022 – Brian Cernoch and Mac Kiger, 28th; Casey Kania and Logan Zapp, 79th; 2023 – Casey Kania & Ryan Seggerman, 18th; Brian Cernoch & Benjamin Kittay, 39th; Brian Cernoch & Ryan Seggerman, 76th

### NCAA Tournament Singles Participants

1983 — Ron Erskine; 1984 — Jeff Chambers, Wayne Hearn; 1985 — Jeff Chambers, Wayne Hearn; 1986 — Jeff Chambers; 1987 — Jeff Chambers; 1990 — Bryan Jones; 1991 — Roland Thornqvist; 1992 — Bryan Jones, Roland Thornqvist; 1993 — Roland Thornqvist; 1994 — David Caldwell; 1995 — David Caldwell, Brint Morrow; 1996 — David Caldwell; 1997 — Tripp Phillips; 1998 — Tripp Phillips; 2000 — Tripp Phillips; 2002 — Marcio Petrone; 2003 — Trystan Meniane, Nick Monroe; 2004 — Nick Monroe; 2005 — Raian Luchici; 2006 — Raian Luchici; 2009 — Clay Donato; 2010 — Clay Donato, Jose Hernandez; 2011 — Jose Hernandez; 2012 — Jose Hernandez; 2013 – Esben Hess-Olesen; 2014 — Brayden Schnur, Ronnie Schneider; 2015 – Brayden Schnur, Ronnie Schneider; 2016 – Brett Clark, Brayden Schnur, Ronnie Schneider; 2017 – William Blumberg, Ronnie Schneider; 2018 – William Blumberg, Benjamin Sigouin; 2019 – William Blumberg, Benjamin Sigouin; 2020—NCAA Tournament canceled due to Covid-19; 2021—William Blumberg, Rinky Hijikata; 2022—Brian Cernoch; 2023 – Brian Cernoch, Ryan Seggerman

### NCAA Tournament Doubles Participants

1984 — Jeff Chambers and Wayne Hearn; 1985 — Jeff Chambers and Wayne Hearn; 1987 — Jeff Chambers and Eddie Stewart; 1992 — Chris Mumford and Roland Thornqvist; 1993 — Roland Thornqvist and Daryl Wyatt; 1994 — David Caldwell and Brint Morrow; 1995 — David Caldwell and Brint Morrow; 1996 — David Caldwell and Brint Morrow; 2003 — Trystan Meniane and Nick Monroe; 2004 — Nick Monroe and Geoff Boyd; 2006 — Raian Luchici and Brad Pomeroy; 2008 — Taylor Fogleman and Chris Kearney; 2009 — Clay Donato and Taylor Fogleman; 2010 — Clay Donato and Stefan Hardy; 2012 — Joey Burkhardt and Jose Hernandez. 2014 — Brett Clark and Brayden Schnur; 2016 – Jack Murray and Brayden Schnur; 2017 – William Blumberg and Robert Kelly; 2018 – William Blumberg and Robert Kelly; 2019 – William Blumberg and Blaine Boyden; 2020—NCAA Tournament canceled due to Covid-19; 2021—William Blumberg and Brian Cernoch; 2022—Brian Cernoch and Mac Kiger; 2023 – Casey Kania and Ryan Seggerman; Brian Cernoch and Benjamin Kittay

### MVP of H.E. Butt Tennis Championships

1993 — Roland Thornqvist

### MVP of Blue/Gray Tennis Championships

1993 — Roland Thornqvist

### Blue/Gray Classic Sportsmanship Award

1995 — Brint Morrow

### NCAA Championships All-Tournament Team

2014 — Jack Murray, Ronnie Schneider; 2017 – William Blumberg (No. 2 singles, No. 1 doubles), Robert Kelly (No. 3 singles, No. 1 doubles), Blaine Boyden (No. 6 singles); 2019 – Brian Cernoch (No. 4 singles, No. 2 doubles), Benjamin Sigouin (No. 2 doubles)

### ITA National Team Indoors

#### All-Tournament Team

2016 — Jack Murray, Ronnie Schneider (MVP)

## Carolina's All-America Selections

### Bitsy Grant, 1931

When asked near the end of his tenure in 1955 to rate the best players at Carolina all-time, John Kenfield chose Bitsy Grant to head up the list. Bryan "Bitsy" Grant came to Carolina as a freshman in 1929 and was named an All-America in 1931. Ranked as high as No. 3 nationally in men's singles during his career, Grant played on four U.S. Davis Cup teams and won three USTA national clay court championships. Grant's leadership helped the 1931 team finish undefeated and capture the Southern Conference title.

### Wilmer Hines, 1933

Carolina's top player in 1933, Wilmer Hines won the Southern Conference singles title and combined with Lenoir Wright to win the doubles crown. He was named an All-America that year. The Tar Heels won the Southern Conference crown every year during Hines' career, never losing a match for a combined overall record of 52-0-1. After leaving Carolina, Hines went on to win the Italian Open championship.

### Vic Seixas, 1948

Vic Seixas is one of the outstanding players in American tennis history. Seixas was named an All-America in 1948. Seixas won the Wimbledon singles championship in 1953 and won the U.S. Open championship in 1954. While at Carolina, Seixas, who played for coach John Kenfield from 1947-49, won the Southern Conference singles title in 1948 and finished as the runner-up in 1947 and 1949. He teamed with Clark Taylor to capture the league doubles crown in 1949. In 1948, he entered the NCAA Tournament as the top seed and won five matches in the tournament before dropping the championship match to the No. 1 ranked player in the U.S. That same year Seixas was the seventh-ranked men's singles player in the U.S. amateur ranks. By 1952, he had attained the No. 1 singles ranking among American players. The 55 Davis Cup singles matches he played in were the most of any American player in history when he retired from active play and his 75 U.S. Open singles victories were a record that stood until broken by Jimmy Connors in 1985.

### George Sokol, 1963

Named an All-America in singles in 1963, George Sokol had a distinguished tennis career at Carolina. He was a dominant presence in the ACC. From 1954 to 1964, the ACC chose a sole singles champion before going to individual flight titles. Sokol won three of those prominent singles titles, capturing the crowns in 1962, 1963 and 1964. Sokol also won an outright ACC doubles title in 1963 with partner Keith Stoneman.

### Freddie McNair, 1970, 1971, 1972 & 1973

The first Carolina player to win All-America honors in each of his four years, Freddie McNair ranks as one of Carolina's finest players ever. While at Carolina, McNair combined with Rich McKee to reach the NCAA doubles finals in 1973. In the ACC, he won three individual singles titles in 1970, 1971 and 1972 and three doubles titles, one with Joe Dorn in 1970 and two with McKee in 1971 and 1972. He went on to have a distinguished professional career, attaining the world's No. 1 doubles ranking with teammate Sherwood Stewart.

### Rich McKee, 1972, 1973 & 1974

A native of Charlotte, Rich McKee earned All-America honors as a sophomore, junior and senior. The son of teaching professional Dick McKee, who reached the finals at Wimbledon, McKee's play improved with each year. He became known for his quiet on-the-court manner and his amazing talent. A team captain, McKee and doubles partner Freddie McNair reached the NCAA doubles finals in 1973, and the duo won the 1971 and 1972 ACC No. 1 doubles titles. In singles, McKee won two ACC titles, at No. 4 in 1971 and No. 3 in 1972.

### Billy Brock, 1976

Billy Brock was a member of four ACC championship teams and was an All-America in 1976. He won two ACC individual flight singles titles, winning at No. 3 in 1974 and at No. 1 in 1975. He also won a doubles title in 1975 with partner Tommy Dixon. One of the Norfolk, Va., native's greatest wins was a second-round 1974 NCAA Tournament upset of 12th-seeded Steve Mott of UCLA. Down a set, Brock, then a freshman, went on to win nine straight games against the favored Bruin, and won the final two sets 6-0 and 6-1.

### Jeff Chambers, 1985

The only Carolina player in history to receive an NCAA singles invitation each of his four years, from 1984-87, he was named an All-America in singles in 1985 after capturing the ACC individual flight championship at No. 2 singles and going 26-8 overall. Chambers also played in the NCAA Tournament in doubles three times, missing only during the 1986 season. The St. Petersburg, Fla. native was a three-time All-ACC selection.

### Bryan Jones, 1992

One of three players in program history to be named ACC Tournament MVP, Bryan Jones received that honor in 1992 as the senior tri-captain led the Tar Heels to one of the school's most successful seasons. Jones was named the ACC Player of the Year and helped lead the team to the 1992 ACC Tournament championship. The Kings Mountain, N.C., native was named an All-America selection in singles after finishing with a 35-7 overall record. He was named the ITA Region II Senior Player of the Year and reached the second round of the NCAA Tournament. Jones also won the flight No. 2 ACC singles title in 1992.

### Chris Mumford, 1992

A member of the 1992 ACC Tournament championship team, Chris Mumford was one of three Tar Heels to be named All-America on that squad. Mumford had a spectacular season, capturing All-America honors in doubles with teammate Roland Thornqvist. The pair were quarterfinalists at the NCAA Championships and finished the season ranked 14th in the ITA poll. Mumford garnered All-ACC honors, the second such honor in his career, as the Richmond, Va., native captured the No. 5 ACC singles title.

### Roland Thornqvist, 1992 & 1993

Roland Thornqvist was UNC's No. 1 singles and No. 1 doubles player for three straight years. The Farsta, Sweden native was named an All-America in both singles and doubles by the ITA in 1992 and 1993. His greatest accomplishment was winning the Rafael Osuna Sportsmanship Award in both 1992 and 1993. He was the first player in the history of college tennis to win the prestigious honor twice. In 1993, he captured the singles title in the ITA National Indoor Championships, was the ITA Region II Senior Player of the Year and the ACC Player of the Year. Thornqvist was the ACC champion at No. 1 singles in both his sophomore and senior years and he won the No. 1 doubles crown as a senior. A three-time All-ACC selection, Thornqvist qualified for the NCAA Tournament in singles three years and in doubles twice. He was a quarterfinalist in singles in both 1992 and 1993 and in doubles in 1992.

### Daryl Wyatt, 1993

Although he spent only one year at UNC before turning professional, Daryl Wyatt made his time in a Carolina uniform count. Wyatt was superb in doubles with partner Roland Thornqvist when Wyatt was a freshman in 1993. The pair went undefeated in ACC play that season and finished 24-6 overall. In the process Wyatt earned All-America honors from the ITA. Wyatt and Thornqvist also captured the ACC individual doubles title at the No. 1 position.

### David Caldwell, 1994 & 1995

Two-time All-America David Caldwell came to UNC as one of the most decorated junior tennis stars in the country, having been ranked in the top five nationally. At Carolina, he became the first player in history to earn ACC Player of the Year honors three times, taking the award in 1994, 1995 and 1996. Caldwell was named an ITA All-America in singles as both a sophomore and a junior and was a doubles All-America with partner Brint Morrow as a junior. Caldwell was 16-0 in ACC singles play as a junior and senior and is the only player to ever win three individual ACC flight titles at No. 1 singles. He won the 1995 Rafael Osuna Sportsmanship Award and was the Region II Head/Arthur Ashe Jr. Sportsmanship Award recipient. The 1996 Region II Men's Tennis Player of the Year, Caldwell received NCAA singles invitations in 1994, 1995 and 1996 and was an NCAA quarterfinalist in 1995.

### Brint Morrow, 1995

Brint Morrow was named All-America in doubles in 1995 with partner David Caldwell, the tandem having gone 26-10 over the course of the season while receiving an NCAA doubles invitation. Morrow was also a three-time All-ACC selection. He won three individual ACC singles flight championships and one doubles championship. He also was the recipient of the 1995 Blue/Gray

## Carolina's All-America Selections

Classic Sportsmanship Award after competing in that prestigious tournament in Montgomery, Ala.

### Tripp Phillips, 2000

Tripp Phillips of Charlotte, N.C., earned All-America status his senior season. After returning from a medical red-shirt campaign, Phillips had an outstanding senior season, posting a stellar 25-6 record at the No.1 singles position. Phillips' 12-2 record against ACC competition earned him runner-up honors at No. 1 singles. However, Phillips saved his best performance of the year for last as he advanced to the quarterfinals of the NCAA Championships in singles. Phillips' career and character were honored as he received the prestigious Patterson Medal as UNC's top senior student-athlete in 2000.

### Nick Monroe, 2004

Nick Monroe received All-America honors from the ITA in 2004. Monroe won the Patterson Medal in 2004 as UNC's outstanding senior men's student-athlete and he reached the quarterfinals of the NCAA Tournament in singles. A three-time All-ACC selection, Monroe finished his UNC singles career with 100 wins, the second most in Tar Heel history behind David Caldwell's 116 wins. As a senior Monroe won the Jon Van Nostrand Award from the ITA, receiving a grant to pursue his professional tennis career. In 2011, he won a bronze medal in doubles for the United States at the Pan American Games.

### Raian Luchici, 2006

Raian Luchici, a native of Timisoara, Romania, earned All-America honors his senior season as a both a singles player and as a doubles competitor with fellow senior Brad Pomeroy. The Tar Heel tandem opened the spring season ranked #1 in the country in doubles. Luchici was the first Tar Heel player since 1995 to be honored as an All-America in both singles and doubles in the same season. He was named the Farnsworth/ Intercollegiate Tennis Association National Senior Player of the Year in 2006, the first recipient of that award in Carolina history. With Pomeroy, the duo was the first in Carolina history since 1973 to compete in the championship match of a collegiate grand slam event when they advanced to the finals of the Polo Ralph Lauren All-American Championships.

### Brad Pomeroy, 2006

Brad Pomeroy was honored as a first-team All-America in doubles following the conclusion of his senior campaign. Pomeroy teamed with fellow standout senior Raian Luchici to post a dominating 26-12 doubles record, a 16-8 dual meet record and an outstanding 10-4 doubles record in tournament play. The Tar Heel pair advanced to the second round of the NCAA Championships. They were the first Carolina duo to advance to the final round of an ITA grand slam event since 1973 when they reached the finals in the Polo Ralph Lauren All-American Championships.

### Taylor Fogleman, 2008 & 2009

After playing sparingly his freshman season, Fogleman burst on to the scene in 2006-07, leading the Tar Heels in both singles and doubles wins. In 2007-08, Fogleman led Carolina in singles and doubles victories again and spent the entire season in the top 10 in the ITA doubles rankings. Fogleman and Chris Kearney reached the quarterfinals of the NCAA tournament in doubles, finishing the season ranked fourth in the nation. The 2008-09 campaign was the third straight year Fogleman led UNC in singles and doubles wins and the senior also recorded his 100th career doubles victory in '09. Fogleman earned All-America distinction after reaching the NCAA doubles semifinals with partner Clay Donato.

### Chris Kearney, 2008

Kearney followed up his ACC Freshman of the Year campaign in 2007 with an even bigger 2008 campaign, landing All-America distinction along with doubles partner Taylor Fogleman. Kearney also earned All-ACC honors. Kearney and Fogleman were ranked in the Top 10 by the ITA all season, and advanced to the quarterfinals of the NCAA Championships. The pair finished the season ranked fourth in the nation.

### Clay Donato, 2009 & 2010

Clay Donato earned All-ACC honors in 2008 and 2009, and combined with Taylor Fogleman to earn All-America distinction in 2009 after reaching the semifinals of the NCAA doubles tournament. The pair recorded 36 doubles wins together in 2009. A year later, he again won All-America honors as he and Stefan Hardy

reached the 2010 NCAA tournament semis, giving Donato back-to-back NCAA doubles semifinal appearances.

### Stefan Hardy, 2010

California native Stefan Hardy captured All-America honors in doubles, winning that accolade as a redshirt junior in 2010. Hardy earned an NCAA doubles invitation with partner Clay Donato and the duo advanced to the NCAA semifinals in doubles, the second straight year a UNC team made that round of the championship. Hardy completed his successful career in 2011 being named All-ACC after leading the Tar Heels to a 9-2 ACC record and fourth NCAA team bid during his playing career.

### Jose Hernandez, 2011

Hernandez had a brilliant sophomore year for the Tar Heels in 2010-11. He was named All-ACC for the second straight year, finished the year ranked in the Top 20 in singles in the ITA rankings and reached the Round of 16 in NCAA singles to earn first-team All-America honors. He won 30 singles matches during the season and was 16-7 in dual match play. Twenty of his 33 matches were played against ranked players, and he went 11-9 in those matches. His singles win clinched a heart-thumping 4-3 win over Duke for the Tar Heels in regular season action.

### Brayden Schnur, 2014, 2015 & 2016

Brayden Schnur was a first-team All-America by the ITA in 2014, the first UNC freshman to do so since Daryl Wyatt in 1993. He went 19-5 in singles and 21-6 in doubles, helping lead UNC to a school-record 27 dual match wins, the ACC Tournament final and the quarterfinals of the NCAA Tournament. Schnur won All-ACC honors and was the first Tar Heel in history to be honored as the ITA National Rookie of the Year. Schnur qualified for the NCAA Championships in singles and in doubles. As a junior, Schnur earned All-America honors in doubles after reaching the NCAA quarterfinals with Jack Murray. He is just the third player in program history to earn All-America honors in three separate years.

### Brett Clark, 2016

Brett Clark and doubles teammate Robert Kelly earned All-America honors after finishing fourth in the final ITA doubles rankings. The two were ranked No. 1 nationally at two points in the spring, becoming the first Tar Heels to reach the top spot since 2006, when Brad Pomeroy and Raian Luchici earned the No. 1 ranking. They were unable to compete in the NCAA Tournament due to an injury, but earned All-America honors based on the season's final rankings. Clark the recipient of the 2016 ITA Regional Arthur Ashe Jr. Leadership and Sportsmanship Award.

### Robert Kelly, 2016, 2017 & 2018

As a sophomore, Robert Kelly teamed with senior Brett Clark to earn All-America honors in doubles. The two, who were ranked No. 1 at two separate points in the spring, finished fourth in the final rankings despite missing the NCAA Tournament due to injury. They were the first Tar Heels since 2006 to reach the No. 1 ranking in doubles. In 2017, Kelly teamed with William Blumberg to reach the NCAA doubles quarterfinals, again earning All-America honors. The two went 23-8 during the year and earned All-NCAA Tournament honors at No. 1 doubles. They went 5-1 in NCAA play and beat the nation's top-ranked team, Kelly, from Chapel Hill, also was named to the All-Tournament team in singles, at No. 3.

In Kelly's senior year, he again earned All-America doubles honors with Blumberg. He became just the fourth player in program history to earn All-America honors in three separate seasons.

### Jack Murray, 2016

Jack Murray, from Beverly Hills, Mich., teamed with Brayden Schnur to earn All-America honors in doubles in 2016, when both players were juniors. After reaching the 32-team field as alternates, they became the first Tar Heel doubles team since 2010 to advance as far as the quarterfinals. The duo was ranked No. 21 in the final ITA doubles rankings of the season.

### Ronnie Schneider, 2016

Ronnie Schneider reached the NCAA Round of 16 in singles to earn All-America honors. The honor capped a stellar junior season for Schneider, from Bloomington, Ind., who was selected as the Most Outstanding Player following UNC's win at ITA National Team Indoor Championship in February. Schneider, who played mostly at the No. 2 spot, went on to earn All-Atlantic Coast Conference honors for the third year in a row. He finished the season ranked No. 23 national in singles.

**William Blumberg, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021**

William Blumberg made history in 2021 as the only 10-time All-America in ITA history. He earned All-America honors in both singles and doubles five years in a row after receiving an extra year of eligibility due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

As a freshman, he became the first Tar Heel ever to reach the NCAA singles final, finishing as the runner-up with a season record of 31-3 and a final ranking of No. 6. In doubles, he and partner Robert Kelly reached the NCAA quarterfinals and finished the year ranked No. 4.

As a sophomore Blumberg was named ACC Player of the Year and again earned All-America honors in both singles and doubles. He finished the year at No. 2 in the singles rankings and No. 3 in doubles, teaming with Kelly for the second year.

As a junior, he became the first Tar Heel to reach the NCAA singles quarterfinals three times, again earning All-America honors in both singles and doubles.

In 2020, Blumberg earned All-America honors in singles and doubles once again when the ITA named its All-America team in March upon the cancellation of the season due to Covid-19.

In 2021, he reached the NCAA quarterfinals in singles for a fourth time in a row while teaming with Brian Cernoch to reach the doubles quarterfinals.

**Blaine Boyden, 2019**

Blaine Boyden earned All-America honors in doubles as a senior when he and William Blumberg finished 20-6 for the year and were seventh in the final rankings. Boyden also had success in singles, leading the team in ACC singles wins in his junior (11-1) and senior (8-2) years.

**Benjamin Sigouin, 2019**

As a sophomore, Benjamin Sigouin reached the Round of 16 in singles to earn All-America honors for the first time in his career. A first-team All-ACC honoree, he finished the year at No. 20 in the ITA singles rankings.

**Brian Cernoch, 2020, 2021, 2022**

Brian Cernoch earned All-America honors in doubles in 2020, teaming with William Blumberg. The duo was ranked No. 13 in the nation in March when the Covid-19 pandemic canceled the season. The ITA named its 2020 All-Americans shortly thereafter.

Cernoch and Blumberg became a two-time All-America doubles team in 2021 when they reached the NCAA quarterfinals and finished the year ranked No. 4 in the ITA rankings.

Cernoch earned All-America honors as a singles player for the first time in 2022, finishing the season ranked 25th.

**Mac Kiger, 2020**

Mac Kiger picked up All-America accolades in doubles in 2020, teaming with Simon Soendergaard to do so. The duo was ranked No. 4 in the nation in March when the Covid-19 pandemic canceled the season. The ITA named its 2020 All-Americans shortly thereafter.

**Simon Soendergaard, 2020**

Simon Soendergaard picked up All-America honors in doubles in 2020, teaming with Mac Kiger. The duo was ranked No. 4 in the nation in March when the Covid-19 pandemic canceled the season. The ITA named its 2020 All-America teams shortly thereafter.

**Rinky Hijikata, 2021**

Sophomore Rinky Hijikata won All-America honors in singles in 2021 by reaching the NCAA Tournament Round of 16. He finished the season ranked No. 22 nationally.