

# TORONTO

VARSITY BLUES



2009 Women's Soccer  
Media Guide



# Team Directory

## Quick Facts

**Founded:** 1827

**Enrollment:** 63,109 (37,915 full-time)

**President:** David Naylor

**Director of Athletics:** Liz Hoffman

**Number of Intercollegiate Teams:** 44 (26 sports)

**Conference Affiliation:** Ontario University Athletics (OUA)

**National Affiliation:** Canadian Interuniversity Sport (CIS)

**Venue:** Varsity Centre (5,000)

**Colours:** Navy Blue & White

**Mascot:** True Blue



## Team Directory

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# Schedule

Date	Opponent	Location	Time
9/5/2009	Trent University	Varsity Centre	1:00 p.m.
9/6/2009	Queen's University	Varsity Centre	1:00 p.m.
9/13/2009	Queen's University	Queen's University	1:00 p.m.
9/16/2009	Ryerson University	Ryerson University	1:00 p.m.
9/19/2009	Carleton University	Varsity Centre	1:00 p.m.
9/26/2009	Laurentian University	Laurentian University	12:00 p.m.
9/27/2009	Nipissing University	Nipissing University	12:00 p.m.
9/30/2009	Trent University	Trent University	7:00 p.m.
10/4/2009	RMC	RMC	3:00 p.m.
10/7/2009	Ryerson University	Varsity Centre	6:45 p.m.
10/9/2009	Carleton University	Carleton University	1:00 p.m.
10/10/2009	University of Ottawa	University of Ottawa	1:00 p.m.
10/16/2009	Laurentian University	Varsity Centre	12:00 p.m.
10/17/2009	Nipissing University	Varsity Centre	6:00 p.m.
10/24/2009	RMC	Varsity Centre	1:00 p.m.
10/25/2009	University of Ottawa	Varsity Centre	1:00 p.m.
10/28/2009	OUA Playoff (TBD)	TBD	TBD
10/31/2009	OUA Quarter-Final (TBD)	TBD	TBD
11/7-8/2009	OUA Championship	TBD	TBD
11/12-15/2009	CIS Championship	Varsity Centre	TBD



# Roster



#	Name	Name	Pos.	Elig.	Major	Yr.	Hometown	High School
1	Katarina	Vulic	GK	5	PhD Chemistry	2	Oakville, Ont.	T.A. Blakelock H.S.
4	Melanie	Seabra	M	4	FPEH	4	Brampton, Ont.	Mayfield S.S.
5	Nicole	Zikovitz	D	1	FPEH	1	Richmond Hill, Ont.	St. Theresa of Lisieux
6	Jenessa	Banwell	M	4	FPEH	3	Scarborough, Ont.	Birchmount Park C.I.
7	Diana	Esteireiro	D	1	Humanities	1	Etobicoke, Ont.	Michael Power/St. Joseph C.S.S.
8	Shirley	Ho	M	3	FPEH	3	Calgary, Alta.	Western Calgary H.S.
9	Laura	Machado	M	3	FPEH	3	Mississauga, Ont.	Iona C.S.S.
10	Heidi	Borgmann	D	5	FPEH	5	Mississauga, Ont.	Iona C.S.S.
11	Nav	Deol	D	3	FPEH	3	Mississauga, Ont.	Clarkson S.S.
12	Erica	Basso	M	4	Urban Studies	5	King City, Ont.	Cardinal Carter C.H.S.
13	Christina	Fantozzi	F/M	4	FPEH	4	Richmond Hill, Ont.	St. Theresa of Liseux
14	Jackie	Miklovich	D	3	Engineering	3	Aurora, Ont.	Cardinal Carter C.H.S.
16	Nicole	Burling	M	5	MSc Physio	1	Scarborough, Ont.	Cedarbrae C.I.
17	Jessica	Fantozzi	S	1	Humanities	1	Richmond Hill, Ont.	St. Theresa of Lisieux
18	Mel	Bowen	D	1	Commerce	1	West Vancouver, B.C.	West Vancouver S.S.
19	Arin	King	D/S	1	Sciences	1	Pickering, Ont.	St. Mary C.S.S.
20	Jennifer	Siu	S/M	2	Life Sciences	2	London, Ont.	London Central S.S.
21	Juliana	Bergin	S/M	2	FPEH	2	Baxter, Ont.	Bear Creek S.S.
22	Andréé	Beaupré	D/M	2	MMPA	1	Williamstown, Ont.	Char-Lan D.H.S.
23	Mary Anne	Barnes	GK	5	English	4	Scarborough, Ont.	Cardinal Newman H.S.
24	Alicia	Lashley	D	4	Sociology/Math	4	Ottawa, Ont.	Colonel By S.S.
26	Natalie	Law	S	1	FPEH	1	Unionville, Ont.	Milliken Mills H.S.

# Coaching Staff



## Eva Havaris - Head Coach

Havaris took the reigns as head coach for the 2008 season, and led the squad to its best regular-season finish in the history of the University of Toronto women's soccer program: first overall in the OUA with a regular season record of 10-2-2. The Blues led the OUA, and were tied with the Montreal Carabins in the CIS, allowing only five goals against in 14 games.

Havaris also guided the team to a gold-medal performance at the 2009 Sportsfest at Bogacizi University in Istanbul in May 2009 and a silver medal at the prestigious Old Four tournament in August 2008. Two members of the squad (Laura Arduini and Erica Basso) were selected to represent Canada at the FISU World University Games championship in Belgrade, Serbia in July, and the 2008 team was also recognized with five OUA All-Stars, two All-Canadians and Erica Basso won the OUA-East MVP award.

Prior to U of T, Eva served two years as the head coach at Fanshawe College where she turned the program around and guided her team to an Ontario Colleges Athletic Association (OCAA) championship, a fourth-place finish at the Canadian Colleges Athletic Association (CCAA) championship and was named OCAA coach of the year. As an assistant coach, she helped guide the University of Western Ontario (UWO) Mustangs to an OUA championship in 2004.

An all-Canadian standout at the UWO, Eva was the CIS women's soccer player of the year in 2003. She is a two-time OUA conference MVP, a two-time CIS first-team all-Canadian and the 2003 UWO female academic all-Canadian athlete of the year.

Eva holds a provincial B coaching license from the Ontario Soccer Association and a Masters degree in Sport Management.



# Coaching Staff



## Bonnie Shepherd – General Manager & Assistant Coach

Bonnie Shepherd enters her sixth season as the GM & assistant coach of the Varsity Blues. During this time the Blues achieved their best regular season finish with a First-place overall in the OUA in 2008.

The Blues have qualified for a playoff position for six consecutive years and captured the 2003 Ontario University Athletics (OUA) bronze medal. In addition the squad has garnered several Canadian Interuniversity Sport (CIS) top-ten rankings and produced six all-Canadians, 22 OUA all-stars, one OUA-East MVP award and two FISU games players. Six years of her targeted recruitment has helped turn the Blues into a dominant force in the OUA and CIS.

A product of the Erin Mills Soccer Club, before coming to U of T, Bonnie served as the head coach of the Red Devils women's team in South Africa, where her squad earned the 2002 Northern Cape provincial title. She holds her NCCP level one and two coaching certifications. A well-rounded athlete beyond the soccer pitch, Bonnie was a member of the 2000 Ontario University Cup mountain bike team at Queen's University. She is a former national skating team member, two-time international skating medalist, and was a player/coach for the Toronto Rage volleyball club.

Bonnie holds a Masters of Education from the University of Toronto, as well as co-current degrees in Bachelor of Physical Health and Education and Bachelor of Arts from Queen's. She works in the Faculty of Physical Education and Health at the University of Toronto.



## Cecily Clarke - Assistant Coach

Cecily Clarke returns for a second successful year with the Blues staff. Cecily also served as assistant coach under Havaris at Fanshawe College in 2005 and 2006, where she helped lead the team to a provincial championship and a fourth-place finish at nationals. She brings coaching experience from the Ottawa South United soccer club and holds her Ontario Soccer Association's pre-B coaching license.

No stranger to success on the field, Cecily won three Ontario University Athletics (OUA) championships as a player - with Queen's in 2001 and 2002 and Western in 2004. Her numerous athletic accomplishments include being named an OUA all-star, an academic all-Canadian, a first-team all-Canadian, and the recipient of the 2003 Queen's University female athlete of the year and women of influence awards. She also represented Canada at the 2003

World FISU Games in Daegu, Korea.

Cecily holds a Masters degree in Sport Management from the University of Western Ontario, as well as co-current degrees in Physical Health and Education and Science from Queen's University. She currently serves as a Sport and Recreation consultant with the Ontario Ministry of Health Promotion.



## Jessy Kapitany - Goalkeeper Coach

Jessy Kapitany is back for her second season as the Varsity Blues goalkeeping coach. Her successful intercollegiate goalkeeping career as the captain of UWO included two OUA championships, recognition as a second team OUA all-star in 2004 and the “UWO Athlete of the Semester” by the London Gazette. She continues to hold the UWO goalkeeping record for all time goals-against average.

After graduating from Western with an honours degree in Kinesiology, Jessy joined the coaching staff at Fanshawe College for two successful seasons with Havaris and Clarke in 2005 and 2006, and led her London City Women’s team to a provincial championship in 2007. She is a certified OSA Level 3 community coach and has worked with several teams in the London area as well.



## Laura Arduini - Apprentice Coach

Joining the Varsity Blues staff as an apprentice coach this year is the 2008 team captain and a five-year Blues veteran, Laura Arduini. Laura garnered many accolades over her playing career, including OUA all-star recognition, and she was selected as a player and team leader for the Canadian team at the FISU World University Games in Serbia in 2009. She led her Blues squad to great success over her playing career at U of T - most recently an OUA first place regular season finish in 2008 and a gold medal at the 2009 Bogazici University Sportsfest in Istanbul. Laura graduated from OISE with a B.Ed and is a qualified teacher.



## Daryl Devonish - Strength & Conditioning Coach

Daryl Devonish joins the Varsity Blues women’s soccer team in 2009 as the strength and conditioning coach. A resistance training specialist (RTS), Daryl is a member of the national council of strength and fitness (NCSF) and has his level II national coaching certification.

Daryl graduated from the faculty of physical education and health and went on to complete his bachelor of education degree, both at the University of Toronto. He is a fitness coach for Girl Impact, a charity that allows underprivileged girls a chance to improve their self esteem, and has been featured on W Network’s “The Right Fit” as well as TSN’s “3 Guys and a Goal.”

Daryl has worked with many professional and high-performance athletes in hockey, beach volleyball and football.

When he is not on the field, Daryl is the president of DMAN Lifestyle Management Inc. and is a public school teacher for the Toronto District School Board

# Player Profiles



## #1 Katarina Vulic - Goalkeeper

Eligibility Year: 5

Program: PhD Chemistry

High School: T.A. Blakelock H.S.

Hometown: Oakville, Ont.

Previous post-secondary: Played for the University of Ottawa Gee-Gees...won the OUA and CIS community involvement award in 2007 for a combination of athletics, academics and community involvement...won Ottawa's directors award in 2008...saved three of four penalty kicks in the CIS semifinal versus Calgary in 2005.



## #4 Melanie Sebra - Striker/Midfield

Eligibility Year: 4

Program: FPEH

High School: Mayfield S.S.

Hometown: Brampton, Ont.

High School: Received the physical education award...won the Marie Parkes award...named most valuable player of girl's soccer team for three years.

Club Soccer: Played for the Unionville Milliken

Varsity:

2008: Dressed for all 14 games...scored three goals this season.

2007: Dressed for 11 games...scored two goals.

2006: Dressed for 13 games...scored three goals.



## #5 Nicole Zikovitz - Defence

Eligibility Year: 1

Program: FPEH

High School: St. Theresa of Lisieux

Hometown: Richmond Hill, Ont.



## #6 Jenessa Banwell - Midfield

Eligibility Year: 4

Program FPEH

High School: Birchmount S.S.

Hometown: Toronto, Ont.

High School: Named Birchmount's female athlete of the year.

Club Soccer: Played for the Unionville-Milliken Strikers.

Post-Secondary: Attended the University of Buffalo on a soccer scholarship for two years.

Varsity:

2008: Dressed all 14 games...scored two goals.

# Player Profiles



## #7 Diana Esteireiro - Defence

Eligibility Year: 1

High School: Michael Power/St. Joseph C.S.S.

Program: Humanities

Hometown: Etobicoke, Ont.



## #8 Shirley Ho - Striker

Eligibility Year: 3

High School: Western Canada H.S.

Club Soccer: Played for the Calgary Saints.

Varsity:

2008: Dressed for all 14 games...scored two goals this season.

2007: Dressed for 13 games...scored on goal.

Program: FPEH

Hometown: Calgary, Alta.



## #9 Laura Machado - Midfield

Eligibility Year: 3

High School: Iona C.S.S.

High School: Received the Ron Lenyk Athletic Award from the Sport Council of Mississauga...won the Taneburum Athletic scholarship award.

Club Soccer: Played with the Erin Mills Soccer Club.

Varsity: Received a Tananbaum athletic award and a Mississauga Sports Council bursary.

2008: Dressed for 11 games...scored two goals this season.

2007: Dressed for 14 games.

Program: FPEH

Hometown: Mississauga, Ont.



## #10 Heidi Borgmann - Defence

Eligibility Year: 5

High School: Iona C.S.S.

Academic Awards: Recipient of the J. Harry Ebbs Achievement Award from FPEH.

Club Soccer: Played for the Erin Mills Eagles.

Varsity:

2008: Dressed for 12 games...named an OUA second team all-star.

2007: Dressed for 15 games...named an OUA second team all-star.

2006: Dressed for 12 games.

Program: FPEH

Hometown: Mississauga, Ont.

2005: Dressed for 10 games.

# Player Profiles



## #11 Nav Deol - Defence

Eligibility Year: 3

Program: FPEH

High School: Clarkson S.S.

Hometown: Mississauga, Ont.

High School: Named both senior and junior athlete of the year while at Clarkson S.S... named the most valuable player on the girl's soccer team...won the law and physical education awards.

Club Soccer: Played for the Erin Mills Eagles...scored the winning goal to win the U-18 nationals.

Varsity:

2008: Dressed for all 14 games...scored four goals this season...named an OUA first team all-star

2007: Dressed for 12 games.



## #12 Erica Basso - Striker/Midfield

Eligibility Year: 4

Program: Arts & Science

High School: Cardinal Carter C.H.S.

Hometown: Richmond Hill, Ont.

Academic Awards: Won the Guinness and St. George award, both for academic and athletic excellence.

Varsity:

2008: Dressed for 11 games...led the team with nine goals...ranked fourth in OUA scoring...scored a hat trick against the Trent Excalibur on Sept. 27...recorded two goals versus the Laurentian Voyageurs (Oct. 12) and the RMC Paladins (Oct. 18)...named

the OUA East player of the year and a CIS first team all-Canadian...represented Canada at the 2009 Summer Universiade in Belgrade, Serbia.

2007: Dressed for all 16 games...led the team with nine goals...named an OUA first team all-star...named a CIS second team all-Canadian.

2006: Dressed for 14 games...scored two goals...named an OUA second team all-star.



## #13 Christina Fantozzi - Striker/Midfield

Eligibility Year: 4

Program: FPEH

High School: St. Theresa of Liseux

Hometown: Richmond Hill, Ont.

High School: Named athlete of the year in grade nine and 12.

Club Soccer: Played for the Vaughn Azzurri...went undefeated in a tournament in Spain and won an international championship.

Varsity:

2008: Dressed for 12 games...scored three goals this season...notched two goals versus the RMC Paladins on Oct. 18.

2007: Dressed for 15 games...scored two goals.

2006: Dressed for 14 games...led the team with four goals.



## #14 Jackie Miklovich - Defence

Eligibility Year: 3

High School: Cardinal Carter C.H.S.

Club Soccer: Played for the Aurora Stingers.

Varsity:

2008: Dressed for all 14 games.

Program: Engineering

Hometown: Aurora, Ont.



## #16 Nicole Burling - Midfield

Eligibility Year: 5

High School: Cedarbrae, Ont.

Previous post-secondary: Played for four years with the York Lions...was named a CIS academic all-Canadian all four years...named a CIS tournament all-star in 2007.

Program: MSc Physical Therapy

Hometown: Scarborough, Ont.



## #17 Jessica Fantozzi - Striker

Eligibility Year: 1

High School: St. Theresa of Lisieux

Program: Humanities

Hometown: Richmond Hill, Ont.



## #18 Mel Bowen - Defence

Eligibility Year: 1

High School: West Vancouver S.S.

Soccer: Represented British Columbia and won a gold medal at the 2009 Canada Summer Games...scored the winning goal against Ontario in the semifinals.

Program: Commerce

Hometown: West Vancouver, B.C.



## #19 Arin King - Defence/Striker

Eligibility Year: 1

High School: St. Mary C.S.S.

Program: Biological Sciences

Hometown: Pickering, Ont.



## #20 Jennifer Siu - Striker/Midfield

Eligibility Year: 2

Program: Arts & Science

High School: London Central

Hometown: London, Ont.

High School: Named most valuable player on girl's soccer team...received the Rice Traut leadership, academic & performance award...named a SPECTRA female athlete...received performing scholarship at Victoria College.

Club Soccer: Played for the London Supernova...won provincial championships in 2006 and 2007 and a national championship in 2006.

Varsity:

2008: Dressed all 14 games...scored four goals in her rookie campaign...named an OUA second team all-star.



## #21 Juliana Bergin - Striker

Eligibility Year: 2

Program: FPEH

High School: Bear Creek S.S.

Hometown: Barrie, Ont.

High School: Four-time athlete of the year at Bear Creek S.S...placed fifth at OFSAA in the 400m hurdles in 2008.

Club Soccer: Played for the South Simcoe United...awarded the Caroline Jones memorial scholarship.

Varsity:

2008: Dressed for 13 games...finished second on the team in scoring with six goals...tied for fifth in OUA scoring...scored two goals against the RMC Paladins (Sept. 28) and the Ryerson Rams (Oct. 8).



## #22 Andrée Beaupré - Defence/Midfield

Eligibility Year: 2

Program: MMPA

High School: Char-Lan D.H.S.

Hometown: Williamstown, Ont.

Previous post-secondary: Played for the Queen's Gaels...named a CIS academic all-Canadian in 2007-08.



## #23 Mary Anne Barnes - Goalkeeper

Eligibility Year: 5

Program: English

High School: Cardinal Newman H.S.

Hometown: Scarborough, Ont.

Varsity: OUA and CIS athlete of the week...named an OUA first team all-star 2007



## #24 Alicia Lashley - Defence

Eligibility Year: 4

High School: Colonel By S.S.

Club Soccer: Played with Erin Mills.

Varsity:

2008: Dressed for eight games.

2007: Dressed for 15 games...scored one goal.

2006: Dressed for 11 games.

Program: Sociology/Math

Hometown: Ottawa, Ont.



## #26 Natalie Law - Striker

Eligibility Year: 1

High School: Milliken Mills H.S.

Program: FPEH

Hometown: Unionville, Ont.



# Opponents



**Carleton Ravens**  
 Location: Ottawa, Ont.  
 Enrollment: 19,207  
 Web Site: [www2.carleton.ca/goravens/](http://www2.carleton.ca/goravens/)  
 Athletic Director: Jennifer Brenning  
 Head Coach: Alex McNutt  
[alex\\_mcnutt@carleton.ca](mailto:alex_mcnutt@carleton.ca)

2008 Record: 6-6-2  
 2008 Scores:  
 Sep 14 - Carleton 1, Toronto 0  
 Sep 21 - Toronto 4, Carleton 0



**Laurentian Voyageurs**  
 Location: Sudbury, Ont.  
 Enrollment: 5,090  
 Web Site: [www.luvoyaguers.com](http://www.luvoyaguers.com)  
 Athletic Director: Peter Hellstrum  
 Head Coach: Rob Gallo  
[rgallo@laurentian.ca](mailto:rgallo@laurentian.ca)

2008 Record: 9-5-0  
 2008 Scores:  
 Oct 12 - Toronto 2, Laurentian 0



**Nipissing Lakers**  
 Location: North Bay, Ont.  
 Enrollment: 3,717  
 Website: [www.nipissingu.ca/athletics](http://www.nipissingu.ca/athletics)  
 Athletic Director: Vito Castiglione  
 Head Coach: Vito Castiglione  
[vitic@nipissingu.ca](mailto:vitic@nipissingu.ca)

2008 Record: 7-6-1  
 2008 Scores:  
 Sep 7 - Toronto 2, Nipissing 0  
 Oct 4 - Nipissing 2, Toronto 0



**Ottawa Gee-Gees**  
 Location: Ottawa, Ont.  
 Enrollment: 30,000  
 Website: [www.geegees.ca](http://www.geegees.ca)  
 Athletic Director: Luc Gelineau  
 Head Coach: Steve Johnson  
[sjohnson442@yahoo.ca](mailto:sjohnson442@yahoo.ca)

2008 Record: 2-8-4  
 2008 Scores:  
 Sep 13 - Toronto 2, Ottawa 0



**Queen's Gaels**  
 Location: Kingston, Ont.  
 Enrollment: 18,813  
 Web Site: [www.gogaelsgo.com](http://www.gogaelsgo.com)  
 Athletic Director: Leslie Dal Cin  
 Head Coach: Dave McDowell  
[Qwsoccer@queensu.ca](mailto:Qwsoccer@queensu.ca)

2008 Record: 8-4-2  
 2008 Scores:  
 Oct 11 - Toronto 0, Queen's 0  
 Oct 19 - Toronto 1, Queen's 1



**RMC Paladins**  
 Location: Kingston, Ont.  
 Enrollment: 960  
 Web Site: [www.rmc.ca/athletics](http://www.rmc.ca/athletics)  
 Athletic Director: Darren Cates  
 Head Coach: Chad Beaulieu  
[chad.beaulieu@rmc.ca](mailto:chad.beaulieu@rmc.ca)

2008 Record: 2-12-0  
 2008 Scores:  
 Sep 28 - Toronto 6, RMC 0  
 Oct 18 - Toronto 7, RMC 0



**Ryerson Rams**  
 Location: Toronto, Ont.  
 Enrollment: 25,000  
 Web Site: [www.ryerson.ca/sportsandrec](http://www.ryerson.ca/sportsandrec)  
 Athletic Director: Ivan Joseph  
 Head Coach: Peyvand Mossavat  
[wsoccer@ryerson.ca](mailto:wsoccer@ryerson.ca)

2008 Record: 5-6-3  
 2008 Scores:  
 Sep 3 - Toronto 2, Ryerson 0  
 Oct 8 - Toronto 1, Ryerson 0



**Trent Excalibur**  
 Location: Peterborough, Ont.  
 Enrollment: 7,922  
 Web Site: [www.trentu.ca/athletics](http://www.trentu.ca/athletics)  
 Athletic Director: Bill Byrick  
 Head Coach: Joe Muldoon  
[jmuldoon@trentu.ca](mailto:jmuldoon@trentu.ca)

2008 Record: 5-5-4  
 2008 Scores:  
 Sep 20 - Toronto 0, Trent 0  
 Sep 27 - Toronto 4, Trent 2

# 2008 Year in Review

Interim head coach Eva Havaris guided the Varsity Blues women's soccer team to a first-place finish with a 10-2-2 record in the OUA East Division – a first for the Varsity Blues. The Blues led the OUA, and were tied with the Montreal Carabins in the CIS, allowing only five goals against in 14 games.

Blues leading scorer Erica Basso was ranked fourth in OUA scoring with nine goals during the regular season. Nav Deol and first-year standouts Juliana Bergin and Jennifer Siu were also ranked among the top 20 scorers in the league.

Unfortunately, Toronto suffered a heartbreaking quarter-final loss to the Carleton Ravens at Varsity Centre. The Blues had an opportunity to take the lead in opening minutes of the game, however, Briony DeMott's shot hit a post and a crossbar without crossing the goal line to keep the game scoreless.



Playing through a downpour in the first half neither team established great ball control but the Ravens managed to capitalize on their only true scoring chance in the first half for what would be the only goal of the game.

The host Blues came out pressing in the second half but as quickly as they mounted an attack, the Ravens defence did their job in keeping the ball away from the front of the net. Despite numerous corner kick situations, the Blues were unable to find the back of the net and, and watched their season come to an end with a 1-0 quarter-final loss.

Basso was the first Varsity Blue to be named the 2008 OUA women's soccer MVP and was also recognized as a CIS first team all-Canadian. Basso and Deol were named OUA first team all-stars, while Laura Arduini, Heidi Borgmann and Siu were awarded second team all-star status.

# 2008 Year in Review

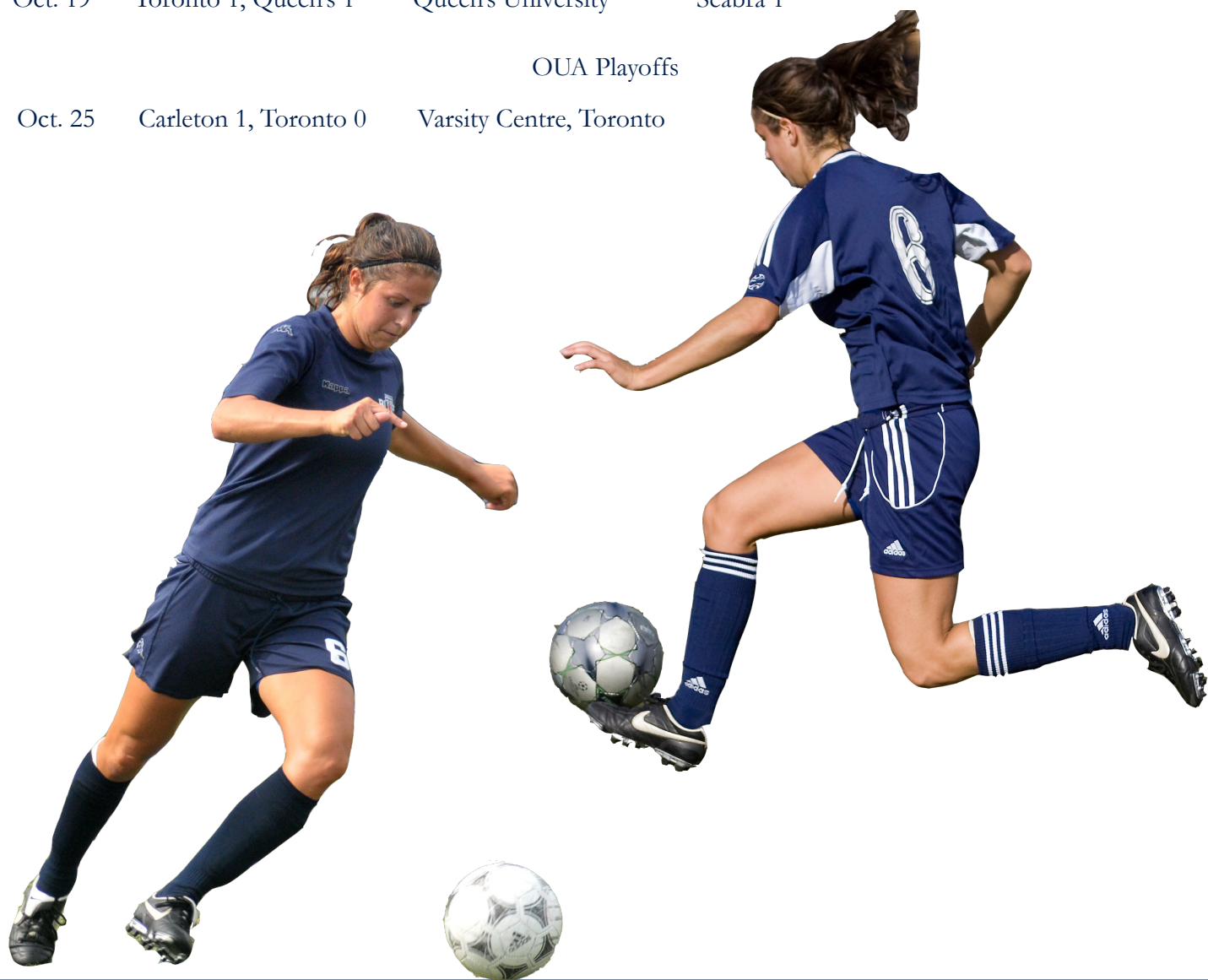
## 2008 SEASON AT A GLANCE

### OUA Regular Season

Date	Result	Where Played	Varsity Goal Scorers
Sept. 3	Toronto 2, Ryerson 0	Lamport Stadium	Basso 1, Siu 1
Sept. 7	Toronto 2, Nipissing 0	Varsity Centre, Toronto	Bergin 1, Ho 1
Sept. 13	Toronto 2, Ottawa 0	University of Ottawa	Fantozzi 1, Seabra 1
Sept. 14	Toronto 0, Carleton 1	Carleton University	
Sept. 20	Toronto 5, Trent 0	Trent University	Arduini 1, Deol 1, Ho 1, Kern 1, Machado 1
Sept. 21	Toronto 4, Carleton 0	Varsity Centre, Toronto	Banwell 1, Bergin 1, Basso 1, Siu 1
Sept. 27	Toronto 5, Trent 1	Varsity Centre, Toronto	Basso 3, DeMott 1, Deol 1
Sept. 28	Toronto 6, RMC 0	Varsity Centre, Toronto	Bergin 2, DeMott 2, Deol 1, Siu 1
Oct. 4	Toronto 0, Nipissing 2	Nipissing University	
Oct. 8	Toronto 5, Ryerson 0	Varsity Centre, Toronto	Bergin 2, Deol 1, Machado 1, Seabra 1
Oct. 11	Toronto 0, Queen's 0	Varsity Centre, Toronto	
Oct. 12	Toronto 2, Laurentian 0	Varsity Centre, Toronto	Basso 2
Oct. 18	Toronto 7, RMC 0	RMC Navy Bay	Basso 2, Fantozzi 2, Banwell 1, DeMott 1, Siu 1
Oct. 19	Toronto 1, Queen's 1	Queen's University	Seabra 1

### OUA Playoffs

Oct. 25	Carleton 1, Toronto 0	Varsity Centre, Toronto
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# 2008 Year in Review

## 2008 AROUND THE OUA FINAL STANDINGS

East								West							
Team	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS	Team	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Toronto	14	10	2	2	41	5	32	York	14	9	2	3	33	11	30
Ottawa	14	9	2	3	27	8	30	McMaster	14	8	0	6	25	7	30
Laurentian	14	9	5	0	23	10	27	Laurier	14	8	1	5	19	8	29
Queen's	14	8	4	2	22	9	26	Brock	14	7	3	4	26	13	25
Nipissing	14	7	6	1	31	24	22	Western	14	6	5	3	16	21	21
Carleton	14	6	6	2	18	14	20	Waterloo	14	2	9	3	9	27	9
Ryerson	14	5	6	3	20	22	18	Windsor	14	0	9	5	11	26	5
RMC	14	2	12	0	6	50	6	Guelph	14	1	12	1	7	33	4
Trent	14	0	13	1	3	49	1								

### TOP TEN OUA SCORERS

Players	GP	G	YC	RC
1 Stefania Morra - York	14	18	0	0
2 Leesa Church - Nipissing	14	15	0	0
3 Tessa Dimitrakopoulos - Ryerson	14	13	3	0
4 Erica Basso - Toronto	11	9	0	0
5 Jill Geier - Brock	14	6	0	0
6 Juliana Bergin - Toronto	13	6	0	0
7 Cassandre Van Bakel - Brock	14	6	0	0
8 Lisa Watson - Laurentian	11	5	0	0
9 Courtney Luscombe - Ottawa	14	5	2	0
10 Stephanie Stubbert - Nipissing	14	5	0	0

### 2008 REGULAR SEASON STATISTICS

##	Player	GP	G	YC	RC
12	ERICA BASSO	11	9	0	0
2	JULIANA BERGIN	13	6	0	0
9	BRIONY DEMOTT	13	4	0	0
11	NAV DEOL	14	4	0	0
20	JENNIFER SIU	14	4	0	0
19	CHRISTINA FANTOZZI	12	3	0	0
4	MELANIE SEABRA	14	3	0	0
6	JENESSA BANWELL	14	2	1	0
8	SHIRLEY HO	14	2	0	0
16	LAURA MACHADO	11	2	0	0
7	LAURA ARDUINI	10	1	4	0
14	GWEN KERN	10	1	0	0
23	MARY ANNE BARNES	14	0	1	0
10	HEIDI BORGMANN	12	0	0	0
13	LISA HENEIN	11	0	1	0
17	CHEVELL HENRY	6	0	0	0
30	LESLIE KENNEDY	8	0	0	0
15	LINDSAY LASHLEY	12	0	1	0
24	ALICIA LASHLEY	8	0	0	0
1	MONICA MAHER	8	0	0	0
5	JACKIE MIKLOVICH	14	0	0	0

## VARSITY BLUES HISTORY

Established in 1985, the Varsity Blue women's soccer team has made great strides in recent years, improving from a 1-4-5 record in 2003 to capture the OUA bronze medal in 2004. The 2005 Blues advanced to the post-season, only to have their hopes dashed with a 3-1 quarter-final loss to the eventual OUA champions from York. The 2006 Blues squad advanced to the second round of the playoffs for the third consecutive year, but were narrowly defeated by the No. 1 OUA ranked Queen's Golden Gaels in quarter-final action. In 2007, the Blues advanced to the quarter-final once again, but were defeated in a close match against Carleton Ravens.

As part of the Varsity Blues family, women's soccer is one of 44 men's and women's teams in 26 sports offered at U of T. The breadth of the Varsity Blues experience and legacy are unmatched at a Canadian university.

Several hundred Varsity Blues athletes have qualified for Olympic Games and FISU (international university) Games, as well as Commonwealth and Pan Am Games. Varsity Blues teams are coached by one of the most talented, acclaimed and successful coaching staffs in North America, including national team and Olympic coaches.

The recognizable blue and white uniform represents an intercollegiate program that is one of the largest and most successful university sport programs in North America.

Women's soccer at U of T provides student-athletes with the unique opportunity to pursue a favourite sport and a challenging academic program at one of the world's leading public research universities.

## AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

CIS all-Canadians since 1987

2008 – Erica Basso (1st Team)

2005 - Erin Osborne (2nd Team)

2004 - Donna Carvalhal (1st Team), Ashleigh Dolbaczuk (2nd Team)

1996 - Jane Lea (1st Team)

1995 - Jane Lea (1st Team)

1994 - Anne Marie Fleming (1st Team)

1993 - Anne Marie Fleming (2nd Team)

1992 - Carlene Cardwell (1st Team), Nancy Lewis (2nd Team)

1991 - Carlene Cardwell (1st Team), Celia Pires (2nd Team)

1990 - Carlene Cardwell (1st Team)

1989 - Carlene Cardwell (2nd Team)

1987 - Karen Hughes (1st Team)

OUA all-stars (2000 - Present)

2008 – Erica Basson (1st Team), Nav Deol (1st Team), Laura Arduini (2nd Team), Heidi Borgmann (2nd Team), Jennifer Siu (2nd Team)

2007 - Erica Basso (1st Team), Laura Arduini (1st Team), Mary Anne Barnes (1st Team), Heidi Borgmann (2nd Team), Neena Gupta (2nd Team)

2006 - Loretta DeThomasis (2nd Team), Neena Gupta (2nd Team), Lindsay Lashley (2nd Team), Erica Basso (2nd Team)

2005 - Erin Osborne

2004 - Donna Carvalhal, Ashleigh Dolbaczuk, Lauren Karst, Andrea Tristo

2001 - Lillian Lefkos

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OUA Coach of the Year

2006 - Beth McCharles

## YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS, 1985 TO DATE

Season	Reg. Season			Standing	Playoff		Coach
	W	L	T		W	L	
1985-86	3	4	0	3rd East	2	2	Niki Nicolaou
1986-87	6	2	0	2nd East	1	1	Niki Nicolaou
1987-88	7	2	1	2nd East	1	2	Niki Nicolaou
1988-89	4	3	1	4th East	0	2	Niki Nicolaou
1989-90	8	1	1	1st East	2	1	Niki Nicolaou
1990-91	6	3	1	3rd East	2	1	Niki Nicolaou
1991-92	7	2	1	2nd East	0	1	Niki Nicolaou
1992-93	8	1	1	1st East	1	2	Niki Nicolaou
1993-94	5	3	2	3rd East	0	1	Niki Nicolaou
1994-95	6	3	3	4th East	0	1	Niki Nicolaou
1995-96	7	1	4	2nd East	1	2	Niki Nicolaou
1996-97	4	6	2	5th East	0	0	Niki Nicolaou
1997-98	4	6	2	5th East	0	0	Niki Nicolaou
1998-99	5	5	2	4th East	0	1	Niki Nicolaou
1999-00	6	6	0	2nd C/N	0	0	Niki Nicolaou
2000-01	3	2	4	2nd C/N	0	1	Niki Nicolaou
2001-02	6	2	2	2nd C/N	0	1	Niki Nicolaou
2002-03	4	5	1	2nd C/N	0	1	Niki Nicolaou
2003-04	1	4	5	3rd C/N	0	1	Guido Geisler
2004-05	6	3	1	2nd North	3	1	Beth McCharles
2005-06	3	3	4	3rd North	1	1	Beth McCharles
2006-07	5	5	6	5th East	1	1	Beth McCharles
2007-08	9	1	6	2nd East	0	1	Beth McCharles
2008-09	10	2	2	1st East	0	1	Eva Havaris



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## ALL-TIME GAME RESULTS, 1985 TO 2008

Date	Opponent	Points		W/L	Type	Date	Opponent	Points	Points	W/L	Type
		Var	Opp								
1985						26-Oct	Ryerson	3	0	W	
24-Sep	York	2	4	L		29-Oct	Carleton	2	0	W	
28-Sep	Trent	15	0	W		4-Nov	McMaster	0	1	L	OW-PO
29-Sep	Queen's	2	5	L		5-Nov	Laurier	3	4	L pk	OW-PO
1-Oct	McMaster	2	0	W		1989					
5-Oct	Queen's	1	3	L		23-Sep	Queen's	0	3	L	
8-Oct	York	2	1	W		24-Sep	Carleton				
10-Oct	McMaster	1	2	L		27-Sep	Ryerson				
	Brock	4	1	W	OW-PO	1-Oct	Trent				
	Queen's	0	3	L	OW-PO	4-Oct	York				
	Laurier	1	0	W	OW-PO	14-Oct	Trent				
	Western	0	2	L	OW-PO	15-Oct	Queen's				
	McMaster	1	2	L	OW-PO	21-Oct	York				
1986						25-Oct	Ryerson	10	0	W	
24-Sep	Ryerson	10	0	W		28-Oct	Carleton	2	1	W	
4-Oct	Queen's	1	2	L		4-Nov	Laurier	2	3	L	OW-PO
5-Oct	Trent	1	0	W		5-Nov	McMaster	1	0	W	OW-PO
15-Oct	Ryerson	9	0	W		1989 OWIAA Records are incomplete because of an in-season office move					
18-Oct	Trent	12	0	W		1990					
19-Oct	Queen's	1	2	L		22-Sep	Queen's	2	1	W	
23-Oct	York	2	0	W		23-Sep	Carleton	0	2	L	
29-Oct	York	3	1	W		26-Sep	York	0	2	L	
1-Nov	Guelph	3	2	W	OW-PO	29-Sep	Trent	8	0	W	
1-Nov	McMaster	1	2	L	OW-PO	30-Sep	Queen's	1	1	T	
1987						3-Oct	Ryerson	4	0	W	
26-Sep	Trent	4	0	W		14-Oct	Ryerson	8	0	W	
3-Oct	Queen's	2	0	W		16-Oct	York	0	2	L	
4-Oct	Carleton	3	1	W		20-Oct	Carleton	2	1	W	
13-Oct	York	0	0	T		27-Oct	Trent	9	0	W	
17-Oct	Trent	4	0	W		2-Nov	Western	1	0	W	OW-PO
17-Oct	Carleton	4	0	W		3-Nov	York	2	0	W	OW-PO
18-Oct	Queen's	0	1	L		4-Nov	Laurier	0	2	L	OW-Ch
18-Oct	Ryerson	6	0	W		1991					
24-Oct	Ryerson	2	0	W		21-Sep	Queen's	3	0	W	
29-Oct	York	1	4	L		22-Sep	Carleton	4	1	W	
6-Nov	Guelph	2	1	W pk	OW-PO	25-Sep	York	0	2	L	
7-Nov	McMaster	0	3	L	OW-PO	28-Sep	Trent	2	0	W	
8-Nov	Queen's	1	3	L	OW-PO	29-Sep	Queen's	1	1	T	
1988						2-Oct	Ryerson	12	0	W	
24-Sep	Queen's	2	5	L		16-Oct	York	0	3	L	
25-Sep	Carleton	1	2	L		19-Oct	Carleton	2	0	W	
28-Sep	Ryerson	1	0	W		23-Oct	Ryerson	11	0	W	
2-Oct	Trent	5	0	W		26-Oct	Trent	8	0	W	
5-Oct	York	0	2	L			Windsor	0	1	L	OW-PO
15-Oct	Trent	5	0	W		1992					
16-Oct	Queen's	1	0	W		16-Sep	Ryerson	12	0	W	
22-Oct	York	0	0	T		20-Sep	Queen's	4	2	W	

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26-Sep	Carleton	6	0	W				
27-Sep	Trent	5	0	W				
2-Oct	Trent	7	0	W				
8-Oct	York	1	1	T				
13-Oct	Ryerson	9	0	W				
15-Oct	York	1	3	L				
24-Oct	Carleton	1	0	W				
25-Oct	Queen's	2	1	W				
	Waterloo	3	2	W	ot	OW-PO		
	Western	0	1	L		OW-PO		
	Laurier	1	3	L		OW-PO		
1993								
18-Sep	Queen's	0	2	L				
22-Sep	Ryerson	5	0	W				
25-Sep	Carleton	3	0	W				
26-Sep	Trent	3	1	W				
29-Sep	York	1	2	L				
8-Oct	Trent	2	0	W				
13-Oct	York	1	2	L				
16-Oct	Queen's	1	1	T				
17-Oct	Ryerson	6	0	W				
24-Oct	Carleton	0	0	T				
28-Oct	McMaster	1	5	L		OW-PO		
1994								
16-Sep	Queen's	0	3	L				
18-Sep	Ottawa							
21-Sep	Ryerson	1	0	W				
24-Sep	Carleton	5	0	W				
25-Sep	Trent	3	0	W				
28-Sep	York	0	0	T				
1-Oct	Ottawa	1	2	L				
7-Oct	Trent	2	0	W				
12-Oct	York	1	1	T				
16-Oct	Carleton	2	1	T				
22-Oct	Ryerson	3	0	W				
23-Oct	Queen's							
28-Oct	Guelph	1	2	L		OW-PO		
1995								
16-Sep	Queen's	0	0	T				
20-Sep	York	2	4	L				
24-Sep	Ottawa	1	1	T				
27-Sep	Ryerson	6	1	W				
30-Sep	Ottawa	1	1	T				
4-Oct	Trent	2	0	W				
7-Oct	Ryerson	2	0	W				
8-Oct	Carleton	2	0	W				
14-Oct	Trent	4	0	W				
15-Oct	Carleton	2	2	T				
21-Oct	York	3	0	W				
22-Oct	Queen's	4	1	W				
27-Oct	Guelph	2	1	W	pk	OW-PO		
28-Oct	Laurier	1	2	L		OW-PO		
29-Oct	McMaster	0	3	L		OW-PO		
1996								
14-Sep	Ottawa	0	1	L				
15-Sep	Queen's	0	0	T				
18-Sep	York	3	4	L				
21-Sep	Ryerson	7	0	W				
22-Sep	Queen's	1	2	L				
28-Sep	Carleton	0	2	L				
29-Sep	York	0	1	L				
5-Oct	Ottawa	0	2	L				
9-Oct	Trent	1	1	T				
16-Oct	Ryerson	4	0	W				
19-Oct	Trent	3	1	W				
20-Oct	Carleton	4	1	W				
1997								
6-Sep	Queen's	0	4	L				
10-Sep	Trent	1	2	L				
13-Sep	Ottawa	1	4	L				
18-Sep	Ryerson	1	0	W				
20-Sep	Carleton	1	1	T				
21-Sep	Ottawa	0	1	L				
24-Sep	York	2	1	W				
27-Sep	Trent	2	1	W				
28-Sep	Carleton	0	2	L				
4-Oct	York	0	0	T				
12-Oct	Ryerson	3	0	W				
17-Oct	Queen's	2	3	L				
1998								
12-Sep	Carleton	0	0	T				
13-Sep	Queen's	1	3	L				
19-Sep	Trent	4	0	W				
20-Sep	Ryerson	3	0	W				
27-Sep	Ottawa	2	4	L				
30-Sep	York	0	2	L				
3-Oct	Queen's	0	1	L				
4-Oct	Carleton	5	0	W				
11-Oct	Ottawa	1	1	T				
17-Oct	Ryerson	2	0	W				
18-Oct	Trent	4	0	W				
25-Oct	York	1	2	L				
30-Oct	Western	0	3	L			OU-PO	
1999								
11-Sep	Carleton	1	4	L				
12-Sep	Ottawa	0	3	L				
18-Sep	Queen's	0	4	L				
19-Sep	Ryerson	3	0	W				
25-Sep	Carleton	1	0	W				
26-Sep	Trent	2	0	W				
3-Oct	Ottawa	1	6	L				
8-Oct	Queen's	0	2	L				
16-Oct	Trent	1	0	W				
17-Oct	Ryerson	5	2	W				
20-Oct	York	1	0	W				



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22-Sep	Carleton	1	0	W
29-Sep	Queen's	0	0	T
3-Oct	Trent	2	0	W
7-Oct	RMC	5	0	W
10-Oct	Ryerson	1	1	T
13-Oct	Laurentian	0	0	T
14-Oct	Nipissing	3	0	W
20-Oct	RMC	5	2	W
21-Oct	Ottawa	0	0	T
27-Oct	Carleton	0	1	L ot OU Q

2008

3-Sep	Ryerson	2	0	W
7-Sep	Nipissing	2	0	W
13-Sep	Ottawa	2	0	W
14-Sep	Carleton	0	1	L
20-Sep	Trent	5	0	W
21-Sep	Carleton	4	0	W
27-Sep	Trent	5	1	W
28-Sep	RMC	6	0	W
4-Oct	Nipissing	0	2	L
8-Oct	Ryerson	5	0	W
11-Oct	Ottawa	0	0	T
12-Oct	Laurentian	2	0	W
18-Oct	RMC	7	0	W
19-Oct	Queen's	1	1	T
26-Oct	Carleton	0	1	L OU Q



