



# VIRGINIA

## 2019 CAVALIER MEN'S SOCCER

**7-TIME NATIONAL CHAMPIONS**  
1989 • 1991 • 1992 • 1993 • 1994 • 2009 • 2014  
**12 COLLEGE CUP APPEARANCES**  
1983 • 1989 • 1991 • 1992 • 1993 • 1994  
1995 • 1997 • 2006 • 2009 • 2013 • 2014

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### SERIES AT A GLANCE

**All-time Series:** 29-41-10  
**Last Meeting:** 9/3/18 - T, 0-0 (2ot) | **First Meeting:** 10/8/41 - L, 0-12  
**Last UVA Win:** 10/7/11 - 2-1 | **Last MD Win:** 11/22/15 - 1-0  
**Streak:** n/a

### LAST 10 VS. MARYLAND (2-6-2)

Date	H/A/N	Result	Date	H/A/N	Result
12/4/2009	H <sup>5</sup>	W, 3-0	10/11/2013	H T, 3-3 (2OT)	
10/29/2010	H	L, 0-2	11/17/2013	N42*	L, 0-1
11/12/2010	N39 <sup>†</sup>	L, 0-2	12/13/2013	N45 <sup>5</sup>	L, 1-2
10/7/2011	H	W, 2-1	11/22/2015	A	L, 0-1
10/5/2012	A	L, 0-1	9/3/2018	N47 T, 0-0 (2OT)	

<sup>†</sup>ACC Tournament

<sup>5</sup>NCAA Tournament

	MARYLAND	VIRGINIA
<b>Head Coach</b>	Sasho Cirovski	George Gelnovatch
<b>Career Record</b>	414-155-59	318-129-57
<b>Record at School</b>	388-143-53	Same
<b>Year at School</b>	27th Season	24th Season
<b>2019 Record</b>	1-0 (0-0 B1G)	1-0 (0-0 ACC)
<b>2018 Record</b>	13-6-4 (4-4 B1G)	10-4-3 (3-2-2 ACC)

### MATCH NOTES

#### FOR STARTERS

- Virginia and Maryland played the first ever collegiate soccer match at Audi Field last season and return for the second annual "Battle for the DMV".
- The game will be the only men's Division I soccer match at an MLS Stadium this fall. The DI Women's College Cup will be played at Avaya Stadium in San Jose.
- The two teams played to a 0-0 draw in last year's contest. The shutout was one of six in the first seven games for Virginia.
- Virginia went 6-0-1 against non-conference foes last season.

#### THE RIVALRY

- Virginia and Maryland will meet for the 81st time in a series history that dates back to 1941, the first year of soccer at Virginia.
- The Terps lead the overall series 41-29-10 and are unbeaten in their last six matches (4-0-2) against UVA.
- In his 24th season, Head Coach George Gelnovatch is 11-15-6 against Maryland.
- Before exiting the ACC for the Big Ten, Maryland and Virginia played three times in 2013, including in the College Cup Semifinals in Chester, Pa. The Terps edged Virginia 2-1, scoring the first two goals and held off a late Virginia charge.
- Prior to the Audi Field series, the two teams last met on Nov. 22, 2015, a 1-0 Maryland win in the Second Round of the NCAA Tournament

#### THE HEAD COACHES

- George Gelnovatch and Sasho Cirovski have a combined 732 wins and five national titles.
- Gelnovatch has qualified for 23-consecutive NCAA Tournaments, an NCAA record. Second on the list is Cirovski with 18 from 2001 to the present.
- Among active NCAA coaches, Gelnovatch and Cirovski are two of five that have reached the NCAA Tournament 20 times in their careers.

26*	Sasho Cierovski (Hartford - 2; Maryland - 24)
24*	Schellas Hyndman (SMU - 23; Grand Canyon - 1)
23*	George Gelnovatch (Virginia)
22*	Mark Berson (South Carolina)
20*	Dave Masur (St. John's)

#### AGAINST RANKED FOES

- For the second-straight season, Virginia will play the No. 1 team in the country. Last year, the Cavaliers dropped a 3-2 decision to top-ranked Wake Forest at Klöckner Stadium on Oct. 19, 2018.
- Virginia was 3-3-2 against ranked opponents in 2018.

#### GEORGE GELNOVATCH VS. NO. 1 TEAM (4-3-4)

10/19/18	(6) Wake Forest (1)	H	T, 0-0 (2ot)
11/12/17	(17) Wake Forest (1) #	N	T, 0-0 (2ot)
11/30/14	(16) Notre Dame (1) \$	A	W, 1-0
11/15/13	(12) Notre Dame (1) #!	N	T, 3-3 (2ot)
10/5/12	Maryland (1)	A	L, 0-1
12/13/09	(2) Akron (1) \$!	N	W, 0-0
11/14/08	Wake Forest (1) #	N	W, 3-2
11/7/08	Wake Forest (1)	H	L, 0-2
11/27/04	(4) New Mexico (1) \$!	H	T, 1-1 (ot)
9/7/03	UCLA (1) N	L, 0-4	
11/15/02	(11) Wake Forest (1) #	N	W, 1-0

# - ACC Tournament | \$ - NCAA Tournament

\*Virginia Ranking listed in front, opponent Ranking at end

### MATCH DETAILS

📅 : Sept. 2      📍 : Audi Field  
 ⏰ : 6 p.m.      🗺 : n/a  
 📍 : Washington, D.C.      🌐 : virginiasports.com/coverage.aspx

### 2019 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

**Overall:** 1-0 | **ACC:** 0-0

**Home:** 1-0 | **Away:** 0-0 | **Neutral:** 0-0

**Streak:** W-1

DATE	OPPONENT	TV	TIME/RESULT
Fri. 8/30	<b>PACIFIC</b>	ACCNX	W, 2-0
Mon. 9/2	vs. Maryland <sup>1</sup>		6 p.m.
Sat. 9/7	<b>HIGH POINT</b>	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Fri. 9/13	at Duke*	ESPNU	6 p.m.
Tue. 9/17	<b>RADFORD</b>	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Fri. 9/20	<b>NC STATE*</b>	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Mon. 9/23	<b>W. MICHIGAN</b>	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Fri. 9/27	at Notre Dame*	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Tue. 10/1	<b>GEORGE WASHINGTON</b>	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Fri. 10/4	<b>LOUISVILLE*</b>	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Fri. 10/11	at Boston College*	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Tue. 10/15	<b>JAMES MADISON</b>	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Fri. 10/18	<b>PITTSBURGH*</b>	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Tue. 10/22	<b>SAINT LOUIS</b>	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Fri. 10/25	at Virginia Tech*	ACCNX	7 p.m.
Fri. 11/1	<b>NORTH CAROLINA*</b>	ACCNX	7 p.m.

### ACC TOURNAMENT

Wed. 11/6	ACC First Round <sup>2</sup>
Sun. 11/10	ACC Quarterfinals <sup>3</sup>
Wed. 11/13	ACC Semifinals <sup>4</sup>
Sun. 11/17	ACC Final <sup>5</sup>

### NCAA TOURNAMENT

Thu. 11/21	NCAA 1st Round <sup>6</sup>
Sun. 11/24	NCAA 2nd Round <sup>6</sup>
Sun. 11/30	NCAA 3rd Round <sup>6</sup>
Fri. 12/6	NCAA Quarterfinal <sup>6</sup>
Fri. 12/13	College Cup Semifinal <sup>5</sup>
Sun. 12/15	College Cup Final <sup>5</sup>

### Home matches in BOLD CAPS

\*denotes ACC matches | <sup>1</sup>Washington, D.C. (Audi Field)

<sup>2</sup>Seeds No. 5-12 (at sites of higher seeds)

<sup>3</sup>at Seeds No. 1-4 <sup>4</sup>at campus sites (top remaining seeds)

<sup>5</sup>Cary, N.C. (WakeMed Soccer Park)

<sup>6</sup>Sites TBA

2019 RECORD WHEN		2019 RECORD VS.	
Overtime:	0-0	Ranked Teams	0-0
Leading at half:	1-0	Non-conf. opponents	1-0
Trailing at half:	0-0	Virginia Teams	0-0
Tied at half:	0-0		
Scoring First:	0-0		

### 2019 VIRGINIA LEADERS

GOALS		MINUTES PLAYED	
Irakoze Donasiyano	2	Joe Bell	90
		Henry Kessler	90
<b>ASSISTS</b>		Nathaniel Crofts	90
Daryl Dike	2	Andreas Ueland	90
Axel Gunnarsson	1	Robin Afamefuna	90
<b>POINTS</b>			
Irakoze Donasiyano	4		
Daryl Dike	2		
Axel Gunnarsson	1		
<b>SAVES</b>			
Colin Shutler	4		

# 2018 ROSTER / BREAKDOWN

No.	Name	Pos.	Cl.	Ht.	Wt.	Hometown	Previous School	Club
00	Tyler Willen	GK	So.	5-10	175	West Newton, Mass.	American School of Dubai	-
0	Chris Shutler	GK	R-Sr.	6-0	175	Middleburg, Va.	Binghamton University	Loudoun FC
1	Colin Shutler	GK	R-Jr.	6-1	185	Middleburg, Va.	Briar Woods	Loudoun FC
2	Eben Noverr	D	Fr.	6-3	185	Highlands Ranch, Colo.	Highlands Ranch	Colorado Rapids
3	Max Diamond	D/M	R-Jr.	6-4	190	Hopedale, Mass.	Advanced Math and Science Acad.	NE Revolution Academy
4	Reed Kessler	D	Fr.	6-3	185	New York, N.Y.	Brooklyn Technical High School	BW Gottschee
5	Henry Kessler	D	Jr.	6-4	185	New York, N.Y.	Bard High School Early College	Beachside
6	Jeremy Verley	M	Fr.	5-10	165	Kingston, Jamaica	Milton Academy (Mass.)	Boston Bolts
7	Daniel Steedman	F	So.	5-10	155	Glasgow, Scotland	Hough	Charlotte Independence
8	Joe Bell	M	Jr.	6-0	180	Wanaka, New Zealand	Scot's College (New Zealand)	Wellington Phoenix
9	Daryl Dike	F	So.	6-2	220	Edmond Okla.	Edmond North	Edmond Soccer Club
10	Nathaniel Crofts	F	Jr.	5-7	135	Sheffield, England	Chaucer School	Sheffield United FC
11	Irakoze Donasiyano	F	Jr.	5-9	155	Roanoke, Va.	Patrick Henry	Roanoke Star SC
12	Spencer Patton	D	Jr.	5-11	165	Morrisville, Pa.	La Salle College High School	Match Fit Academy
13	Bret Halsey	M	So.	5-9	150	Sterling, Va.	Potomac Falls	Loudoun 99 Boys Red
15	Philip Horton	F	Fr.	6-0	185	New Albany, Ohio	New Albany	Columbus Crew SC Acad.
16	Jerren Nixon Jr.	F	Sr.	6-5	195	Atlanta, Ga.	YSC Academy	Philadelphia Union Acad.
17	Andreas Ueland	D	Fr.	6-4	185	Byrne, Norway	Bryne Vidaregåande	Bryne FK
18	Axel Gunnarsson	F	Fr.	6-0	190	Gothenburg, Sweden	Aspero Idrottsgymnasium	Utsiktens BK
19	Nick Berghold	F/M	Fr.	5-8	160	Wingdale, N.Y.	Berkshire School	Black Rock FC
20	Cabrel Happi Kamseu	F	So.	6-2	185	Harare, Zimbabwe	Deerfield Academy	Aces Youth Academy
21	Aaron James	M	R-Jr.	6-0	165	Amherst, Mass.	Williston Northampton	NE Revolution Academy
23	Matthew Warbrick	F	Fr.	5-11	165	Auckland, New Zealand	The McCallie School (Tenn.)	
24	Isaiah Byrd	M	F	6-0	170	Gainesville, Va.	Patriot	BRYC Elite
26	Ben Grant	M	So.	5-11	145	Charlottesville, Va.	Albemarle	Norwich City
27	Beau Bradley	M	Jr.	5-9	155	Manasquan, N.J.	Manasquan	Black Rock FC
30	Robin Afamefuna	D/M	Sr.	5-11	180	Wuerselen, Germany	Wuerselen Gymnasium	Borussia Mönchengladbach
99	Marcel DaSilva	GK	Sr.	6-5	190	Ormond Beach, Fla.	Tulsa	-

**Head Coach:** George Gelnovatch (Virginia '87), 24th season

**Associate Head Coach:** Matt Chulis (Virginia '05), 14th season

**Assistant Head Coach:** Ryan Hopkins (Concordia'04), second season

**Operations Assistant:** Carl Carpenter (Longwood, '16), second season

**Athletic Trainer:** Jeff Boyer

**UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA QUICK FACTS**

Location ..... Charlottesville, Va.  
 Founded ..... 1819 by Thomas Jefferson  
 Enrollment ..... 22,805 (Undergraduate 16,034)  
 President ..... Dr. James E. Ryan  
 Athletics Director ..... Carla Williams  
 Faculty Athletics Rep ..... Carrie M. Heilman  
 Nicknames ..... Cavaliers, Wahoos, 'Hoos  
 Mascot ..... Cavalier  
 Colors ..... Orange and Blue  
 Song ..... Good Old Song  
 Affiliations ..... NCAA, Division I  
 ..... ACC (Coastal Division)

**KLÖCKNER STADIUM**

First Year of Operation ..... 1992  
 Largest Crowd: ..... 7,906 (9/28/07 vs. VT)  
 UVA Record: ..... 284-58-27 (.806)  
 NCAA Tournament Record: 37-12-2 (.740)  
 First Match (exh.): ..... 8/30/92, vs. Santa Clara  
 First Regulation Match: 9/5/92 vs. Penn State  
 First Night Match: ..... 9/13/95 vs. VT (W, 7-1)

**PROGRAM INFORMATION**

First Year ..... 1941  
 All-Time Record ..... 771-351-126  
 All-Time ACC Record ..... 191-138-51  
 NCAA Appearances/Last ..... 38/2018  
 2018 Record ..... 10-4-3  
 2017 ACC Record/Finish ..... 3-2-2  
 ..... 4th Coastal  
 2017 Postseason ..... NCAA 3rd Round  
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost ..... 15/9  
 Newcomers... 10 (9 freshmen, 1 grad transfer)

**ALPHABETICAL**

No.	Name	Pos.
30	Robin Afamefuna	D/M
8	Joe Bell	M
19	Nick Berghold	M
27	Beau Bradley	M
24	Isaiah Byrd	M
10	Nathaniel Crofts	F
99	Marcel DaSilva	GK
3	Max Diamond	D/M
9	Daryl Dike	F
11	Irakoze Donasiyano	F
26	Ben Grant	M
18	Axel Gunnarsson	F
13	Bret Halsey	M
20	Cabrel Happi Kamseu	F
15	Philip Horton	F
21	Aaron James	M
4	Reed Kessler	D
5	Henry Kessler	D
16	Jerren Nixon Jr.	F
2	Eben Noverr	D
12	Spencer Patton	D
0	Chris Shutler	GK
1	Colin Shutler	GK
7	Daniel Steedman	F
17	Andreas Ueland	D
6	Jeremy Verley	M
23	Matthew Warbrick	F
00	Tyler Willen	GK

**PRONUNCIATIONS**

**Players**

Afamefuna .... uh-FAH-may-FOO-nuh  
 Dike ..... Dee-Kay  
 Irakoze Donasiyano  
 ..EAR-uh-coh-zee Doh-nas-ee-ah-no  
 Axel Gunnarsson .....  
 ..... AX-el Gunner-sun  
 Cabrel Happi Kamseu  
 ..... Cah-Brell Happy Kam-Say-oo  
 Halsey ..... HALL-zee  
 Eben Noverr ..... EBB-in No-verr  
 Shutler ..... SHUT-ler  
 Andreas Ueland .....  
 ..... An-DRAY-US YOU-land  
 Verley ..... Ver-LEE

**Coaches**

Chulis ..... CHOO-liss  
 Gelnovatch. .... GELL-no-vatch  
 (hard G, rhymes with bell)

**BREAKDOWN BY CLASS**

True Freshmen ..... 8  
 Sophomore ..... 6  
 Juniors ..... 9  
 Senior ..... 4  
 Graduate ..... 1

**BREAKDOWN BY STATE**

Colorado ..... 1  
 Georgia ..... 1  
 Florida ..... 1  
 Massachusetts ..... 3  
 New Jersey ..... 1  
 New York ..... 3  
 Ohio ..... 1  
 Oklahoma ..... 1  
 Pennsylvania ..... 1  
 Virginia ..... 6

**BREAKDOWN BY COUNTRY**

Belgium ..... 1  
 England ..... 2  
 Germany ..... 1  
 Jamaica ..... 1  
 New Zealand ..... 1  
 Norway ..... 1  
 Scotland ..... 1  
 Sweden ..... 1  
 Switzerland ..... 1  
 Tanzania ..... 1  
 United States ..... 16  
 Zimbabwe ..... 1

\*List compiled of players' birth-places

# NOTES CONTINUED

## OPENING NIGHT REVIEW

- Behind a pair of goals from Irakoze Donasiyano, Virginia topped Pacific, 2-0 in its season opener on Friday night (Aug. 30). He put the Cavaliers on the board in the 44th minute and found the back of the net in the opening minutes of the second half for his first career multi-goal game.
- Donasiyano was the first Cavalier to score a pair of goals on opening night in a decade. Tony Tchani scored twice against Portland to start off the 2009 season.
- Last year's co-leading scorer Daryl Dike was credited with two assists.
- Goalkeeper Colin Shutler made four saves and recorded his ninth career clean sheet. His eight shutouts last season were tied for the second most in the ACC.

## KLÖCKNER ADVANTAGE

- Klöckner Stadium has been the home of Virginia soccer for the past 27 seasons.
- Virginia has won over 80 percent of its matches at home since 1992, posting a 284-58-27 record at the facility.
- Friday will be the 28th anniversary of the stadium's opening. In a rematch of the 1991 National Championship, Virginia hosted Santa Clara in an exhibition match on Aug. 30, 1992 that drew 6,142 fans.

## PRESEASON NATIONAL RANKINGS

- Virginia comes into the 2019 season ranked 12th in the country by the United Soccer Coaches, the highest preseason ranking since 2015 when it ranked 2nd after winning the program's seventh National Championship in the fall prior.
- The Cavaliers come in at No. 13 in the College Soccer News and No. 15 in the TopDrawerSoccer.com polls.

## 2019 PRESEASON POLL

- For the third-straight season, Virginia was picked to finish second in the Coastal Division in a poll of the league's 12 head coaches.
- The Cavaliers were one of four teams (UNC, Duke & Wake Forest) to receive a first place vote for the league's overall champion.

## HOOS BACK

- The Cavaliers return 15 letterwinners including eight of 11 starters from last season.
- Headed by junior Nathaniel Crofts (4g, 6a), six of the top seven point scorers from 2018 are on this year's roster. Virginia returns 83 percent of its scoring (20 of 24 goals) along with

goalkeepers Colin Shutler and Marcel DaSilva.

## PLAYER TO WATCH

- Junior Joe Bell was featured on the first-ever preseason ACC Watch List, comprised of one representative from each school and voted upon as part of the league's preseason coaches poll.
- The midfielder was also listed on the TopDrawerSoccer.com Best XI Second Team.
- Last season, Bell earned United Soccer Coaches Second Team All-Region and Third Team All-ACC honors in 2018.
- He was one of two Cavaliers to play every minute of last year's 17 matches and was second on the team with five assists.

## DECORATED SECOND YEARS

- Virginia set an ACC record with four honorees on the ACC All-Freshman team in 2018.
- Second years Daryl Dike, Cabrel Happi Kamseu and Daniel Steedman are all back for their sophomore campaigns. Dike and Happi Kamseu led the Cavaliers with five goals each. Steedman added a pair of goals both in conference play.
- Defender Aboubacar Keita signed a homegrown contract with the Columbus Crew SC and has appeared in six MLS matches through last Sunday.

VIRGINIA IN THE POLLS							
	US	TDS	SA	CSN	RPI		
Preseason	12	15	n/a	13	n/a		
US - United Soccer Coaches TDS - TopDrawerSoccer.com SA - Soccer America CSN - College Soccer News							
GOALS SCORED BY MINUTE							
	Total	1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76-90
UVA	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
GOALS ALLOWED BY MINUTE							
	Total	1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76-90
UVA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MISCELLANEOUS STATS							
Quickest Goal:					Exact Time		
Irakoze Donasiyano vs. Pacific (8/30)					43:22		
Quickest Goal Against:							
n/a							
Latest Goal:					Exact Time		
Irakoze Donasiyano vs. Pacific (8/30)					47:52		
Latest Goal Against:							
Gm. Winning Goals after 75':							
Multi-Goal Games:							
Irakoze Donasiyano vs. Pacific (8/30)					2 goals		
Multi-Assist Games:							
Daryl Dike vs. Pacific (8/30)					2 assists		
Multi-Assist Games Against:							
Hat Tricks:							
Hat Tricks Against:							
Own Goals For:							
Own Goals Against:							

## THE LAST TIME

### TEAM

Home win	2-0 vs. Pacific, Aug. 30, 2019
Home loss	0-2 vs. Pittsburgh, Oct. 31, 2018
Home tie	0-0 vs. Notre Dame, Oct. 23, 2018
Away win	4-1 vs. Clemson, Oct. 12, 2018
Away loss	0-1 (OT) at Notre Dame, Nov. 25, 2018
Away tie	0-0, at Louisville, Nov. 5, 2017
Neutral win	1-0, vs. UMBC (Cary, N.C.), Nov. 12, 2014
Neutral loss	1-2, vs. Maryland (Chester, Pa.), Dec. 13, 2013
Neutral tie	0-0, vs. Maryland (Washington, D.C.), Sept. 3, 2018
OT win	2-1, vs. Pittsburgh, Oct. 20, 2017
OT loss	0-1 (OT) at Notre Dame, Nov. 25, 2018
Played 2 OTs	0-0 vs. Notre Dame, Oct. 23, 2018
ACC win	4-1 vs. Clemson, Oct. 12, 2018
ACC loss	0-2 vs. Pittsburgh, Oct. 31, 2018
ACC tie	0-0 vs. Notre Dame, Oct. 23, 2018
Scored 0 goals	0-1 (OT) at Notre Dame, Nov. 25, 2018
Scored 1 goal	1-0, vs. Marshall, Sept. 11, 2018
Scored 2 goals	2-0 vs. Pacific, Aug. 30, 2019
Scored 3 goals	3-0, vs. Denver, Oct. 8, 2018

### TEAM

Scored 4+ goals	4-1 vs. Clemson, Oct. 12, 2018
Scored an own goal	2-0, vs. FIU, Sept. 18, 2018
Scored on a penalty kick goal	Pablo Aguilar, Nov. 1, 2017, vs. Boston College
Allowed 0 goals	2-0 vs. Furman, Nov. 18, 2018
Allowed 1 goal	0-1 (OT) at Notre Dame, Nov. 25, 2018
Allowed 2 goals	0-2 vs. Pittsburgh, Oct. 31, 2018
Allowed 3 goals	2-3 vs. Wake Forest, Oct. 20, 2018
Allowed 4+ goals	1-6, at Louisville, Sept. 24, 2016
Allowed an own goal	3-2 vs. Wright State, Oct. 16, 2012
Allowed a penalty kick	Daniele Proch (Duke), Oct. 5, 2018

### INDIVIDUAL

Hat trick	Will Bates vs. Mount St. Mary's, Sept. 11, 2012
Multi-goal match	(2) Irakoze Donasiyano vs. Pacific, Aug. 30, 2019
5+ points	(6) Will Bates vs. Mount St. Mary's, Sept. 11, 2012
2+ assists	(2) Daryl Dike 2-0 vs. Pacific, Aug. 30, 2019
Shutout	Marcel DaSilva vs. Furman, Nov. 18, 2018
Red Card	Henry Kessler vs. Duke, Oct. 5, 2018

# HEAD COACH GEORGE GELNOVATCH



George Gelnovatch is in the midst of his 24th season as the head coach of the Virginia men's soccer program. The longest tenured head coach in program history, Gelnovatch has led the Cavaliers to a pair of national championships in 2009 and 2014 as well as five NCAA College Cup appearances and 23-consecutive berths in the NCAA tournament.

Gelnovatch became the program's all-time leader in wins on August 25, 2017 with a 3-2 double-overtime victory over Villanova, surpassing his UVA mentor Bruce Arena for the program record in wins with 296. He reached the 300-win plateau on

Sept. 15, 2017 with a 2-1 triumph at Virginia Tech, becoming just the fourth coach in Atlantic Coast Conference history to win 300 career matches.

A former Cavalier soccer All-American and assistant coach, Gelnovatch has guided Virginia to four ACC tournament titles, two regular-season ACC championships and a record of 317-129-57 (.687) during his tenure as UVA head coach. Over the course of his 30 years as an assistant and head coach at Virginia, he has been a part of all seven of the Cavaliers' national championships.

Gelnovatch is the first coach in NCAA Division I men's soccer history to lead 20-straight teams to the NCAA tournament. He is one of just eight coaches in the Division I men's soccer annals to take 20 teams to the tournament and one of only four active coaches to do so.

Gelnovatch ranks as the seventh-winningest active head coach in Division I college soccer, with a .687 career winning percentage. He stands 15th in career wins among current head coaches. Among Division I coaches all-time, he ranks 38th in career winning percentage and 41st in wins. These figures are even more striking when considering Gelnovatch's teams play one of the nation's toughest schedules on a yearly basis.

Virginia has won at least 15 games in a season nine times under Gelnovatch, including 2009 when the team recorded 19 victories en route to the conference and national championships.

Gelnovatch has developed a number of Major League Soccer players during his UVA tenure, with 27 players going in MLS drafts and nine in the MLS Supplemental Draft, while six signed Project-40/Generation Adidas contracts and Jordan Allen (2014), Derrick Etienne (2015), Scott Thomsen (2015) and Aboubacar Keita (2018) each signed MLS Homegrown contracts. Jason Moore (1999) and Alecko Eskandarian (2003) were selected No. 1 in the MLS Draft, as 11 Cavaliers have been picked in the first round of the various MLS drafts.

Gelnovatch was named the 10th coach of the Virginia program on Jan. 3, 1996, after Bruce Arena announced he would end his 18-year career at the helm of UVA soccer to become head coach and assistant general manager of Major League Soccer's D.C. United.

## Gelnovatch vs. Maryland (11-15-6)

Date	Location	Result	Date	Location	Result	Date	Location	Result
9/15/1996	H	T, 1-1 (OT)	11/16/2003	N39 <sup>#</sup>	T, 1-1 (OT)	11/12/2010	N39 <sup>#</sup>	L, 0-2
11/17/1996	H <sup>#</sup>	L, 0-2	11/5/2004	H	L, 1-2	10/7/2011	H	W, 2-1
9/13/1997	A	T, 0-0 (OT)	11/14/2004	N39 <sup>#</sup>	W, 2-1	10/5/2012	A	L, 0-1
11/16/1997	N31 <sup>#</sup>	W, 2-0	10/19/2005	A	L, 0-3	10/11/2013	H	T, 3-3 (2OT)
9/12/1998	H	W, 4-1	10/11/2006	H	W, 3-0	11/17/2013	N42 <sup>#</sup>	L, 0-1
9/12/1999	A	L, 0-1	11/3/2007	A	L, 1-4	12/13/2013	N45 <sup>#</sup>	L, 1-2
11/11/1999	N34 <sup>#</sup>	W, 2-0	10/31/2008	H	L, 1-2	11/22/2015	A	L, 0-1
11/3/2000	H	W, 2-0	11/16/2008	N39 <sup>#</sup>	L, 0-1	9/3/2018	N47	T, 0-0 (2OT)
11/4/2001	A	W, 3-0	10/31/2009	A	T, 0-0 (2OT)			<sup>#</sup> NCAA Tournament (2-0)
11/1/2002	H	W, 1-0	11/11/2009	N39 <sup>#</sup>	W, 1-0			<sup>#</sup> ACC Tournament (1-2-1)
11/17/2002	N39 <sup>#</sup>	L, 0-3	12/4/2009	H <sup>#</sup>	W, 3-0			Overtime (0-0-3)
10/31/2003	A	L, 0-1	10/29/2010	H	L, 0-2			

## COACHING ALL-TIME AT VIRGINIA

Coach	Years	W	L	T	Pct.
Lawrence Ludwig (1941-50)	7	19	38	6	.349
Hugh Moomaw (1951-53)	3	10	11	5	.481
Wilson Fewster (1954)	1	2	4	2	.375
Robert Sandell (1955-57)	3	14	10	3	.574
Eugene Corrigan (1958-65)	8	39	35	7	.525
Gordon Burris (1966-70)	5	24	27	4	.473
Jim Stephens (1971-73)	3	21	15	4	.575
Larry Gross (1974-77)	4	30	24	6	.550
Bruce Arena (1978-95)	18	295	59	31	.806
<b>George Gelnovatch (1996-present)</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>.687</b>

## GELNOVATCH'S UVA COACHING YEARS

- 2009 and 2014 National Championships
- Five NCAA College Cup appearances (1997, 2006, 2009, 2013, 2014)
- Seven NCAA quarterfinal appearances
- 23 consecutive NCAA tournament appearances (a first in NCAA men's soccer history)
- 38 consecutive program NCAA tournament appearances (longest active streak in the country)
- Four ACC tournament titles
- Two ACC regular-season titles
- 12 ACC tournament championship appearances
- Twice named ACC Coach of the Year (1996, 2001)
- Two National Players of the Year
- **51 players that have gone on to play professional soccer**

## GELNOVATCH'S INTERNATIONAL COACHING YEARS

- 1999-2003: Head Coach USA Under-18 National Team
- 1999-2002: Assistant Coach full USA National Team
- 2002: World Cup (South Korea) Quarterfinalists
- Assistant Coach USA Full National Team at Confederation Cup
- Assistant Coach USA Full National Team at Gold Cup

## GELNOVATCH AS HIGH SCHOOL AND COLLEGE PLAYER

- First Team All-American out of Wall High School (N.J.) 1983
- Under-20 US National Team 1983
- First Team All-American at the University of Virginia
- 1987: Finished 3rd in voting for National Player of the year
- Full National Team Spring of 1987

## GELNOVATCH AS PROFESSIONAL PLAYER

- MISL Minnesota Strikers, 1987-88
- American Soccer League (ASL) NJ Eagles
- American Professional Soccer League (APSL) Penn Jersey Spirit
- American Professional Soccer League (APSL) Baltimore Bay
- A League appearance, 1996
- MLS appearance, 1996

## GELNOVATCH CAREER COACHING RECORD

Year	Overall	ACC	ACC Finish	NCAA Tournament
1996	16-3-3	4-0-2	Runner-Up	1st Round
1997	19-4-3	3-1-2	Champions	NCAA Runner-Up
1998	16-4-3	4-1-1	Semifinals	Quarterfinals
1999	14-9-1	1-4-1	Runner-Up	2nd Round
2000	17-6-1	5-1-0	Runner-Up	Quarterfinals
2001	17-2-1	6-0-0	Runner-Up	2nd Round
2002	15-7-0	3-3-0	Runner-Up	2nd Round
2003	11-10-2	3-3-0	Champions	3rd Round
2004	18-5-1	4-3-0	Champions	Quarterfinals
2005	12-5-3	6-2-0	Quarterfinals	3rd Round
2006	17-4-1	5-3-0	Semifinals	NCAA Semifinals
2007	12-8-2	1-5-2	Quarterfinals	2nd Round
2008	11-9-1	4-4-0	Runner-Up	2nd Round
2009	19-3-3	4-3-1	Champions	NCAA Champions
2010	11-6-3	2-4-2	Semifinals	1st Round
2011	12-8-1	4-3-1	Semifinals	1st Round
2012	10-7-4	3-4-1	Semifinals	2nd Round
2013	13-6-5	4-3-4	Runner-Up	NCAA Semifinals
2014	14-6-3	3-3-2	Quarterfinals	NCAA Champions
2015	10-5-3	4-2-2	Quarterfinals	2nd Round
2016	11-4-5	3-2-3	Quarterfinals	3rd Round
2017	12-4-5	3-2-3	Runner-Up	2nd Round
2018	10-4-3	3-2-2	First Round	3rd Round
2019	1-0	0-0	-	-
<b>Career</b>	<b>318-129-54</b>	<b>82-58-29</b>		





**2019 Virginia Men's Soccer**  
Virginia Individual Season/Career Statistics (as of Sep 01, 2019)  
**All games**



SEASON											CAREER							
##	Player	gp-gs	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	gw	pk-att		gp-gs	g	a	pts	sh	sh%	gw	pk-att
11	Donasiyano, Irakoze	1-1	2	0	4	4	.500	1	0-0	•	27-18	3	2	8	23	.130	1	0-0
9	Dike, Daryl	1-1	0	2	2	2	.000	0	0-0	•	14-13	5	3	13	26	.192	2	0-0
18	Gunnarsson, Axel	1-1	0	1	1	2	.000	0	0-0	•	1-1	0	1	1	2	.000	0	0-0
30	Afamefuna, Robin	1-1	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-1	•	54-46	2	1	5	20	.100	1	0-1
17	Ueland, Andreas	1-1	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	•	1-1	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0
15	Horton, Philip	1-0	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	•	1-0	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0
10	Crofts Jr., Nathanie	1-1	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	•	1-1	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0
8	Bell, Joe	1-1	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	•	39-39	3	6	12	40	.075	2	0-0
7	Steedman, Daniel	1-1	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	•	16-7	2	0	4	28	.071	0	0-0
21	James, Aaron	1-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	•	8-0	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0
13	Halsey, Bret	1-1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	•	2-2	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0
12	Patton, Spencer	1-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	•	10-0	0	0	0	3	.000	0	0-0
6	Verley, Jeremy	1-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	•	1-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0
5	Kessler, Henry	1-1	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	•	29-18	0	0	0	9	.000	0	0-0
Total		144	2	3	7	14	.143	1	0-1									
Opponents		144	0	0	0	12	.000	0	0-0									

##	Goalie	gp-gs	minutes	ga	gaavg	saves	pct	w	l	t	sho
1	Shutler, Colin	1-0	90:00	0	0.00	4	1.000	1	0	0	1
Career totals		17-15	1511:47	11	0.65	48	.814	10	3	3	9
Total		1	90:00	0	0.00	4	1.000	1	0	0	1
Opponents		1	90:00	2	2.00	6	.750	0	1	0	0

Overall: 1-0-0 Conf: 0-0-0 Home: 1-0-0 Away: 0-0-0 Neut: 0-0-0

TEAM STATISTICS	VA	OPP
<b>SHOT STATISTICS</b>		
Goals-Shot attempts	2-14	0-12
Goals scored per game	2.00	0.00
Shot pct.	.143	.000
Shots on goal-Attempts	8-14	4-12
SOG pct.	.571	.333
Shots/Game	14.0	12.0
Assists	3	0
CORNER KICKS	5	2
PENALTY KICKS	0-1	0-0
<b>PENALTIES</b>		
Yellow cards	3	5
Red cards	0	0
<b>ATTENDANCE</b>		
Total	3770	0
Dates/Avg Per Date	1/3770	0/0
Neutral Site #/Avg	0/0	

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia	1	1	2
Opponents	0	0	0

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia	2	3	5
Opponents	2	0	2

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia	6	8	14
Opponents	5	7	12

Fouls by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia	6	9	15
Opponents	8	10	18

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia	2	2	4
Opponents	4	2	6



**2019 Virginia Men's Soccer  
Virginia Team Game-by-Game (as of Sep 01, 2019)  
All games**



Date	Opponent	Score	G	A	Pts	Sh	Sh%	Sog	Sog%	GW	PK-Att	Min
08/30/19	PACIFIC	2-0	2	3	7	14	.143	8	.571	1	0-1	990
		2-0	2	3	7	14	.143	8	.571	1	0-1	990
Opponent			0	0	0	12	.000	4	.333	0	0-0	-

TEAM PER-GAME

Games played: 1

Shots per game: 14.00;Goals per game: 2.00

Assists per game: 3.00;Points per game: 7.00

Date	Opponent	Score	Minutes	GA	GAAvg	Saves	Save%	W	L	T	Sho
08/30/19	PACIFIC	2-0	90:00	0	0.00	4	1.000	1	0	0	1
		2-0	90:00	0	0.00	4	1.000	1	0	0	1
Opponent			90:00	2	0.00	6	.750	0	1	0	0



**2019 Virginia Men's Soccer  
Virginia Game Results (as of Sep 01, 2019)  
All games**



Date	Opponent	Score	Overall	Conf	Att.	Goals scored
08/30/19	PACIFIC	W 2-0	1-0-0	0-0-0	3770	Donasiyano, Irakoze (Gunnarsson, Axel;Dike, Daryl) Donasiyano, Irakoze (Dike, Daryl)

Team Record	W-L-T	Attendance	Dates	Total	Avg.
Overall:	1-0	Total:	1	3770	3770
Conference:	0-0	Home:	1	3770	3770
Home:	1-0	Away:	0	0	0
Away:	0-0	Neutral:	0	0	0
Neutral:	0-0				
Overtime:	0-0				

# CAREER HIGHS/SUMMARIES

Player	Goals	Assists	Points	Last Goal	Season	Career
					Goals	Goals
#2 - Eben Noverr	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#3 - Max Diamond	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#4 - Reed Kessler	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#5 - Henry Kessler	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#6 - Jeremy Verley	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#7 - Daniel Steedman	1, 2x (Last: vs. Wake Forest (10/20/18)	n/a	2, 2x (last vs. Wake Forest (10/20/18)	at Clemson (10/12/18)	0	2
#8 - Joe Bell	1, 3x (last: 8/24 vs UNH)	1, 4 times (last 10/2/18 at Pitt)	2, 3 times (last: 8/24 vs UNH)	vs. UNH (8/24/18)	0	3
#9 - Daryl Dike	2, vs. Denver (10/8/18)	n/a	4, vs. Denver (10/8/18)	vs. Radford (10/16/18)	0	5
#10 - Nathaniel Crofts	2, vs Furman (11/18/18)	2, 2x (last: at Clem (10/12/18)	4, vs. Furman 11/18/18	vs. Furman (11/18/18)	0	4
#11 - Irakoze Donasiyano	1, vs. Wake Forest (10/20/18)	1, 2x (last: 9/21/18 at SYR)	2, vs. Wake Forest (10/20/18)	vs. Wake Forest (10/20/18)	0	1
#12 - Spencer Patton	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#13 - Bret Hasley	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#15 - Philip Horton	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#16 - Jerren Nixon Jr.	n/a	1, vs. Lehigh (10/10/17)	n/a	n/a	0	0
#17 - Andreas Ueland	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#18 - Axel Gunnarsson	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#19 - Nick Berghold	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#20 - Cabrel Happi Kamseu	1, 5 times (last: 10/12/18 at Clemson)	1, vs. Wake Forest (10/20/18)	2, 5 times (last: 10/12/18 vs. Clem)	at Clemson (10/12/18)	0	5
#21 - Aaron James	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#23 - Isaiah Byrd	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#24 - Matthew Warbrick	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#26 - Ben Grant	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#27 - Beau Bradley	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#30 - Robin Afamefuna	1, 2x (last: 10/12/18 at Clemson)	1, vs. Portland (10/2/17)	n/a	vs. Notre Dame (11/8/17)	0	2

\*Done at previous school

Goalkeepers	Saves	Career Shutouts
#00 - Tyler Willen	n/a	0
#0 - Chris Shutler	10 vs American (9/11/17)	0
#1 - Colin Shutler	8 vs. Virginia Tech (9/7/18)	8
#99 - Marcel DaSilva	4 vs. Furman (9/18/17)	4 (3 at Tulsa; 1 at UVA)

# 2019 VIRGINIA CAVALIERS



**00**

**Tyler WILLEN**  
So. | GK  
West Newton, Mass.



**0**

**Chris SHUTLER**  
Gr. | GK  
Middleburg, Va.



**1**

**Colin SHUTLER**  
R-Jr. | GK  
Middleburg, Va.



**2**

**Eben NOVERR**  
Fr. | D  
Highlands Ranch, Colo.



**3**

**Max DIAMOND**  
R-Jr. | D/M  
Hopedale, Mass.



**4**

**Reed KESSLER**  
Fr. | D  
New York, N.Y.



**5**

**Henry KESSLER**  
Jr. | D  
New York, N.Y.



**6**

**Jeremy VERLEY**  
Fr. | M  
Kingston, Jamaica



**7**

**Daniel STEEDMAN**  
So. | F  
Glasgow, Scotland



**8**

**Joe BELL**  
Jr. | M  
Wanaka, New Zealand



**9**

**Daryl DIKE**  
So. | F  
Edmond, Okla.



**10**

**Nathaniel CROFTS**  
F | Jr.  
Sheffield, England



**11**

**Irakoze DONASIYANO**  
Jr. | F  
Roanoke, Va.



**12**

**Spencer PATTON**  
Jr. | D  
Morrisville, Pa.



**13**

**Bret HALSEY**  
So. | M  
Sterling, Va.



**15**

**Philip HORTON**  
Fr. | F  
New Albany, Ohio



**16**

**Jerren NIXON JR.**  
Sr. | F  
Atlanta, Ga.



**17**

**Andreas UELAND**  
Fr. | D  
Byrne, Norway



**18**

**Axel GUNNARSSON**  
F | Fr.  
Gothenburg, Sweden



**19**

**Nick BERGHOLD**  
Fr. | M  
Wingdale, N.Y.



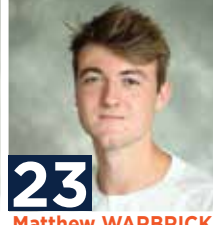
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So. | F/M  
Harare, Zimbabwe



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R-Jr. | M  
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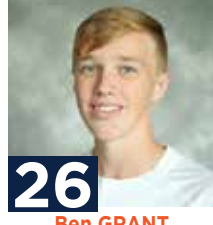
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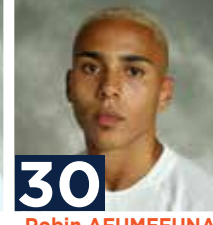
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**Ben GRANT**  
So. | M  
Charlottesville, Va.



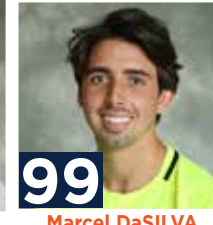
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**Beau BRADLEY**  
Jr. | D  
Manasquan, N.J.



**30**

**Robin AFUMEFUNA**  
Sr. | D  
Wuerselen, Germany



**99**

**Marcel DaSILVA**  
Sr. | GK  
Ormond Beach, Fla.



**George Gelnovatch**  
Head Coach  
24th Season



**Matt CHULIS**  
Associate Head Coach  
14th Season



**Ryan HOPKINS**  
Assistant Coach  
Second Season



**Carl CARPENTER**  
Operations Asst.  
Second Season