



# 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:** First Meeting  
**Last Meeting:** n/a | **First Meeting:** n/a  
**Last UVA Win:** n/a | **Last WMU Win:** n/a  
**Streak:** -

### WESTERN MICHIGAN

**Head Coach** Chad Wiseman  
**Career Record** 122-63-23  
**Record at School** 69-38-17  
**Year at School** Seventh Season

### VIRGINIA

**Head Coach** George Gelnovatch  
**Career Record** 323-129-57  
**Record at School** Same  
**Year at School** 24th Season

### LAST 10 VS. WMU

Date	H/A/N	Result	Date	H/A/N	Result
					<sup>N</sup> NCAA Tournament
					<sup>A</sup> ACC Tournament

<b>2019 Record</b>	4-2 (0-0 MAC)	6-0 (2-0 ACC)
<b>2018 Record</b>	11-6-3 (1-1-2 MAC)	10-4-3 (3-2-2 ACC)

### MATCH NOTES

#### FOR STARTERS

- Monday night's match will be the first ever meeting between Western Michigan and Virginia. The Cavaliers 7-5 against current members of the MAC and haven't squared off against a MAC opponent since 2011 (West Virginia - L, 0-1).
- Virginia is one of 10 unbeaten and untied teams (St. Johns, Georgetown, Cal State Fullerton, SMU, Clemson, Missouri State, Stanford, Navy, Saint Mary's,) remaining in college soccer and one of two in the ACC (Clemson).
- The Cavaliers have the lowest goals against average (0.17) in the country and are the only team in the nation to concede just one goal in 2019.
- Virginia is 2-0 in ACC for the first time since 2008 when it won its first four against NC State, Virginia Tech, North Carolina and Clemson.
- With last Tuesday's win over Radford, Virginia is unbeaten in its last 11 regular season non-conference matches. The Cavaliers went 6-0-1 against non-ACC foes in 2018.

#### FIRST PLACE HOOS

- Virginia moved to 2-0 in ACC play with a 2-0 win over NC State on Friday (Sept. 20) at Klöckner Stadium.
- The Cavaliers are now 2-0 to start their ACC slate for the first time since 2008. Virginia is tied with North Carolina for first place in the Coastal Division.
- Daryl Dike was credited with the game-winning score when he slid to touch in a Robin Afamefuna cross in the 42nd minute.
- Junior Joe Bell also was credited with the assist on the goal and in the 90th minute notched his first goal of the season when he converted a penalty kick.

#### STIFLING DEFENSE

- Virginia did not allow a NC State shot attempt for the first 80 minutes of Friday night's win. The four Wolfpack shots in the contest all came in the final 10 minutes including its lone shot on goal.
- The Cavaliers are the only program in the country to allow just one goal this season and currently lead the nation with a 0.17 goals against average.
- Virginia has held three of its six opponents this season to single-digit shots, including five against No. 1 Maryland, the fewest shots by the Terps since Nov. 17, 2013, also against the Cavaliers.
- For the second time in as many seasons, Virginia has yielded only one goal in its first six games. Last season it took until game eight for the Cavaliers to concede its second goal.

#### ENTERING THE RECORD BOOKS

- Goalkeeper Colin Shutler was credited with his 13th career shutout, tying him with Calle Brown (2013-14) and Spencer LaCivita (2011-14) for the ninth most shutouts in UVA history.
- Shutler has served as the team's primary goaltender for the past two seasons and has 13 shutouts in 22 career starts.

#### All-Time Career Shutouts at UVA

6. David Comfort (1999-02)	19
7. Tony Meola (1988-89)	17
8. Brock Yetso (1995-98)	15
9. Colin Shutler (2017-19)	13
Calle Brown (2013-14)	13
Spencer LaCivita (2011-14)	13

#### FAST START

- Virginia has won its first six games of the season 10 times in its 76-year history. The 6-0 start for the Cavaliers is the first since 2006 and only second under head coach George Gelnovatch.

#### UVA Consecutive Wins to Start the Season

14	1987, 1992
12	1985
11	1989, 1993
8	1969, 1982, 2006
6	1979, 2019

### MATCH DETAILS

**Date:** Sept. 23  
**Time:** 7 p.m.  
**Location:** Charlottesville, Va.  
**Venue:** Klöckner Stadium  
**Broadcast:** ACC Network  
**Coverage:** virginiasports.com/coverage.aspx

### 2019 SCHEDULE/RESULTS

**Overall:** 6-0 | **ACC:** 0-0

**Home:** 4-0 | **Away:** 1-0 | **Neutral:** 1-0

**Streak:** W-6

DATE	OPPONENT	TV	TIME/RESULT
Fri. 8/30	<b>PACIFIC</b>	ACCNX	W, 2-0
Mon. 9/2	vs. #1 Maryland <sup>1</sup>		W, 2-0
Sat. 9/7	<b>HIGH POINT</b>	ACCNX	W, 1-0
Fri. 9/13	at #2 Duke*	ESPNU	W, 3-1
Tue. 9/17	<b>RADFORD</b>	ACCNX	W, 1-0
Fri. 9/20	<b>NC STATE*</b>	ACCNX	W, 2-0
Mon. 9/23	<b>W. MICHIGAN</b>	ACCN	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>	ACCN	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>
Sat. 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	2-0
Leading at half:	5-0	Non-conf. opponents	4-0
Trailing at half:	0-0	Virginia Teams	1-0
Tied at half:	1-0		
Scoring First:	5-0		

### 2019 VIRGINIA LEADERS

GOALS		POINTS	
Irakoze Donasiyano	2	Daryl Dike	7
Daniel Steedman	2	Nathaniel Crofts	5
Nathaniel Crofts	2	Irakoze Donasiyano	4
Daryl Dike	2	Daniel Steedman	3
Henry Kessler	1	Henry Kessler	2
Spencer Patton	1	Spencer Patton	2
		Joe Bell	2
ASSISTS		SAVES	
Daryl Dike	3	Colin Shutler	16
Joe Bell	2		
Nathaniel Crofts	1	MINUTES PLAYED	
Daniel Steedman	1	Joe Bell	540
Axel Gunnarsson	1	Robin Afamefuna	540
Robin Afamefuna	1	Henry Kessler	540
		Andreas Ueland	540

# 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: ..... 288-58-27 (.808)  
 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 ..... 776-351-126  
 All-Time ACC Record ..... 193-138-51  
 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

## BALANCED SCORING ATTACK

- Dike became the team's fourth multi-goal scorer this season with his game-winner on Friday night. The second-year striker is now the team's active leader with seven career goals.
- Sophomore Daniel Steedman has been the difference in the last two non-conference matches, recording game-winners in 1-0 wins over High Point (Sept. 7) and Radford (Sept. 17).
- With his PK conversion in the 90th minute on Friday against NC State, Bell become the Cavaliers seventh different goal scorer this season. Bell has four career goals and his last two tallies have occurred in the 90th minute. He scored the game-winner in the 2018 season-opener against New Hampshire.

## SCHEDULE GAUNTLET

- In addition to squaring off against ranked foes, Duke and Maryland, the Cavaliers are scheduled to play five 2018 NCAA Tournament teams through their first six games of the season.
- Virginia and No. 3 Georgetown are the only two programs to poised face five, 2018 postseason qualifiers in the first six games.

## 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 288-58-27 record at the facility.

## FACING NO. 1 AND NO. 2

- Virginia has faced the No. 1 and the No. 2 nationally ranked team in the country in the same season eight times.
- Prior to this season, Virginia had only took down both the No. 1 and No. 2 teams in the country twice, in 2009 and 2014, both National Championship seasons.
  - 1983 - @ Duke (1), L 0-1 | @ Indiana (2), L 1-3
  - 1989 - @ Indiana (2), W 1-0 | \$ Santa Clara (1), T 1-1
  - 1990 - @ Clemson (1), T 1-1 | @ N.C. State (2), L 1-2 (OT)
  - 2004 - @ Wake Forest (2), W 2-1 | \$ New Mexico (1), T 1-1
  - 2009 - @ Wake Forest (2), W 1-0 | \$ Akron (1), W 0-0 (2OT)
  - 2013 - @ Notre Dame (2), W 2-0 | # Notre Dame (1), T 3-3 (2OT)
  - 2014 - \$ Notre Dame (1), W 1-0 | \$ UCLA (2), W 0-0 (2OT)
  - 2019 - vs. Maryland (1), W, 2-0 | at Duke (2), W, 3-1
- #ACC Tournament | \$NCAA Tournament

## ACC PLAYER OF THE WEEK X 2

- Goalkeeper Colin Shutler was named ACC co-Defensive Player of the Week on Monday, Sept. 9 after a pair of shutouts including a clean sheet against No. 1 Maryland on Sept. 2. Shutler has collected ACC weekly honors three times in the last two seasons.
- For his two-goal performance in the season-opener against Pacific, junior Irakoze Donasiyano was named the ACC Offensive Player of the Week on Tuesday, Sept. 3.
- Donasiyano scored in the 44th minute of the season opener and again in the 48th minute. He became the first Cavalier to tally two goals on opening night since Tony Tchani scored twice against Portland in the first game of the 2009 season.

## DOWN GOES NO. 1!

- In the second-annual "Battle for the DMV" played at Audi Field in Washington, D.C. on Monday night (Sept. 2), Virginia knocked off the defending National Champion and No. 1 Team Maryland with a 2-0 victory.
- Virginia used first half goals by Nathaniel Crofts and Daryl Dike that were just one minute and 15 seconds apart beginning in the 21st minute.
- The goal by Crofts was the first scored on the Terps in 611 minutes dating back to last season. The win for Virginia ended a six-game winless streak against Maryland.
- It marked the second-straight season Virginia has faced the No. 1 team in the country.
- Under head coach George Gelnovatch the Cavaliers improved to 5-3-4 against top-ranked teams.

- The Virginia offense limited Maryland to just five shots, the lowest total by a Terps team since Nov. 17, 2013, also against Virginia.

## PRESEASON NOTES

- 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.
- 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.

## 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.

## YOUTH TURNS TO EXPERIENCE

- Number of freshman and sophomores in starting XI of the 2018 Sweet 16.
  - Kentucky – 8 (4 freshmen, 4 sophomores)
  - Virginia - 7 (3 freshmen, 4 sophomores)
  - Duke – 7 (3 freshmen, 4 sophomores)
  - Akron – 6 (5 freshmen, 1 sophomore)
  - Virginia Tech – 6 (1 freshman, 5 sophomores)
  - Georgetown – 5 (2 freshmen, 3 sophomores)
  - Lipscomb – 5 (5 freshmen)
  - Indiana – 4 (1 freshman, 3 sophomores)
  - Saint Mary's – 4 (2 freshmen, 2 sophomores)
  - Wake Forest – 3 (1 freshman, 2 sophomores)
  - Stanford – 3 (2 freshmen, 1 sophomore)
  - Maryland – 2 (1 freshman, 1 sophomore)
  - Air Force – 2 (2 sophomores)
  - James Madison – 2 (2 sophomores)
  - Michigan State – 1 (1 freshman)
  - Notre Dame - 1 (1 sophomore)

VIRGINIA IN THE POLLS				
	US	TDS	CSN	RPI
Preseason	12	15	13	n/a
Week 1 (9/2)	7	16	12	n/a
Week 2 (9/9)	6	3	7	n/a
Week 3 (9/16)	5	3	4	n/a
Week 4 (9/22)	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA

US - United Soccer Coaches
TDS - TopDrawerSoccer.com
CSN - College Soccer News

GOALS SCORED BY MINUTE							
	Total	1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76-90
<b>UVA</b>	11	2	3	2	2	1	1

GOALS ALLOWED BY MINUTE							
	Total	1-15	16-30	31-45	46-60	61-75	76-90
<b>UVA</b>	0	1	0	0	0	0	0

MISCELLANEOUS STATS	
Quickest Goal:	Exact Time
Daniel Steedman vs. Radford (9/17)	4:05
Quickest Goal Against:	
Gardarsson, Kristofe (Duke) on 9/13	4:41
Latest Goal:	Exact Time
Joe Bell (PK) vs. NC State on 9/20	89:41
Latest Goal Against:	
Gardarsson, Kristofe (Duke) on 9/13	4:41
Gm. Winning Goals after 75':	
Multi-Goal Games:	
2 - Irakoze Donasiyano vs. Pacific (8/30/19)	
Multi-Assist Games:	
2 - Daryl Dike vs. Pacific (8/30/19)	
Multi-Assist Games Against:	
Hat Tricks:	
Hat Tricks Against:	
Own Goals For:	
Own Goals Against:	

# 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. Western Michigan (0-0)

Date	Location	Result
		<sup>1</sup> NCAA Tournament (0-0)
		<sup>2</sup> ACC Tournament (0-0)
		Overtime (0-0-0)

### 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>24</b>	<b>323</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	6-0-0	2-0-0	-	-
<b>Career</b>	<b>323-129-54</b>	<b>84-58-29</b>		



**2019 Virginia Men's Soccer**  
Virginia Individual Season/Career Statistics (as of Sep 21, 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
9	Dike, Daryl	6-6	2	3	7	14	.143	1	0-0	19-18	7	4	18	38	.184	3	0-0
10	Crofts, Nathaniel	6-6	2	1	5	15	.133	2	0-0	44-44	6	9	21	61	.098	3	0-0
7	Steedman, Daniel	6-6	2	1	5	8	.250	2	0-0	21-12	4	1	9	35	.114	2	0-0
11	Donasiyano, Irakoze	6-6	2	0	4	12	.167	1	0-0	32-23	3	2	8	31	.097	1	0-0
8	Bell, Joe	6-6	1	2	4	7	.143	0	1-1	44-44	4	8	16	46	.087	2	1-1
5	Kessler, Henry	6-6	1	0	2	4	.250	0	0-0	34-23	1	0	2	13	.077	0	0-0
12	Patton, Spencer	6-0	1	0	2	2	.500	0	0-0	15-0	1	0	2	5	.200	0	0-0
18	Gunnarsson, Axel	6-6	0	1	1	5	.000	0	0-0	6-6	0	1	1	5	.000	0	0-0
30	Afamefuna, Robin	6-6	0	1	1	3	.000	0	0-1	59-51	2	2	6	22	.091	1	0-1
17	Ueland, Andreas	6-6	0	0	0	5	.000	0	0-0	6-6	0	0	0	5	.000	0	0-0
15	Horton, Philip	5-0	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	5-0	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0
13	Halsey, Bret	4-4	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0	5-5	0	0	0	2	.000	0	0-0
21	James, Aaron	3-2	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	10-2	0	0	0	1	.000	0	0-0
20	Happi Kamseu, Cabrel	3-0	0	0	0	0	.000	0	0-0	3-0	0	0	0	0	.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
Total		144	11	9	31	77	.143	6	1-2								
Opponents		144	1	2	4	50	.020	0	0-0								

##	Goalie	gp-gs	minutes	ga	gaavg	saves	pct	w	l	t	sho
1	Shutler, Colin	6-6	540:00	1	0.17	16	.941	6	0	0	5
Career totals		22-21	1961:47	12	0.55	60	.833	15	3	3	13
Total		6	540:00	1	0.17	17	.944	6	0	0	5
Opponents		6	540:00	11	1.83	22	.667	0	5	0	0

Overall: 6-0-0 Conf: 2-0-0 Home: 4-0-0 Away: 1-0-0 Neut: 1-0-0

TEAM STATISTICS	VA	OPP
SHOT STATISTICS		
Goals-Shot attempts	11-77	1-50
Goals scored per game	1.83	0.17
Shot pct.	.143	.020
Shots on goal-Attempts	33-77	18-50
SOG pct.	.429	.360
Shots/Game	12.8	8.3
Assists	9	2
CORNER KICKS	33	17
PENALTY KICKS	1-2	0-0
PENALTIES		
Yellow cards	9	16
Red cards	0	0
ATTENDANCE		
Total	10249	1092
Dates/Avg Per Date	4/2562	1/1092
Neutral Site #/Avg	1/1884	

Goals by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia	7	4	11
Opponents	1	0	1

Corners by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia	15	18	33
Opponents	5	12	17

Shots by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia	40	37	77
Opponents	24	26	50

Fouls by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia	32	41	73
Opponents	53	44	97

Saves by Period	1st	2nd	Total
Virginia	10	7	17
Opponents	12	10	22



**2019 Virginia Men's Soccer  
Virginia Team Game-by-Game (as of Sep 21, 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
Sep 02, 2019	vs Maryland	2-0	2	2	6	11	.182	5	.455	1	0-0	990
09/07/19	HIGH POINT	1-0	1	0	2	19	.053	6	.316	1	0-0	991
09/13/19	at Duke	3-1	3	2	8	11	.273	5	.455	1	0-0	990
09/17/19	RADFORD	1-0	1	0	2	9	.111	4	.444	1	0-0	990
09/20/19	NC STATE	2-0	2	2	6	13	.154	5	.385	1	1-1	991
Virginia		11-1	11	9	31	77	.143	33	.429	6	1-2	5942
			1	2	4	50	.020	18	.360	0	0-0	-

**TEAM PER-GAME**

Games played: 6

Shots per game: 12.83;Goals per game: 1.83

Assists per game: 1.50;Points per game: 5.17

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
Sep 02, 2019	vs Maryland	2-0	90:00	0	0.00	2	1.000	1	0	0	1
09/07/19	HIGH POINT	1-0	90:00	0	0.00	2	1.000	1	0	0	1
09/13/19	at Duke	3-1	90:00	1	0.25	4	.800	1	0	0	-
09/17/19	RADFORD	1-0	90:00	0	0.20	4	1.000	1	0	0	1
09/20/19	NC STATE	2-0	90:00	0	0.17	1	1.000	1	0	0	1
Totals		11-1	540:00	1	0.17	17	.944	6	0	0	5
			540:00	11	0.17	22	.667	0	5	0	0



**2019 Virginia Men's Soccer  
Virginia Game Results (as of Sep 21, 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)
Sep 02	vs #1 Maryland	w 2-0	2-0-0	0-0-0	1884	Crofts, Nathaniel (Steedman, Daniel) Dike, Daryl (Crofts, Nathaniel)
09/07/19	HIGH POINT	w 1-0	3-0-0	0-0-0	1578	Steedman, Daniel (unassisted)
* 09/13/19	at #2 Duke	w 3-1	4-0-0	1-0-0	1092	Kessler, Henry (unassisted) Crofts, Nathaniel (Bell, Joe) Patton, Spencer (Dike, Daryl)
09/17/19	RADFORD	w 1-0	5-0-0	1-0-0	1043	Steedman, Daniel (unassisted)
* 09/20/19	NC STATE	w 2-0	6-0-0	2-0-0	3858	Dike, Daryl (Afamefuna, Robin;Bell, Joe) Bell, Joe (penalty kick)

Team Record	W-L-T	Attendance	Dates	Total	Avg.
Overall:	6-0	Total:	6	13225	2204
Conference:	2-0	Home:	4	10249	2562
Home:	4-0	Away:	1	1092	1092
Away:	1-0	Neutral:	1	1884	1884
Neutral:	1-0				
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	1, at Duke (9/13/19)	n/a	n/a	at Duke (9/13/19)	1	1
#6 - Jeremy Verley	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0
#7 - Daniel Steedman	1, 4x (Last: 9/17/19 vs. Radford)	1, vs. Maryland (9/2/19)	2, 2x (last 9/7/19 vs. High Point)	vs. Radford (9/17/19)	2	4
#8 - Joe Bell	1, 4x (last: 9/20/19 vs. NCST)	1, 8 times (at Duke (9/13/19)	2, 3 times (last: 8/24 vs UNH)	vs. NC State (9/20/19)	1	4
#9 - Daryl Dike	2, vs. Denver (10/8/18)	2, vs. Pacific (8/30/19)	4, vs. Denver (10/8/18)	vs. NC State (9/20/19)	2	7
#10 - Nathaniel Crofts	2, vs Furman (11/18/18)	2, 2x (last: at Clem (10/12/18)	4, vs. Furman 11/18/18	at Duke (9/13/19)	2	6
#11 - Irakoze Donasiyano	2, vs. Pacific (8/30/19)	1, 2x (last: 9/18/18 vs. VT)	4 vs. Pacific (8/30/19)	vs. Pacific (8/30/19)	2	3
#12 - Spencer Patton	1, at Duke (9/13/19)	n/a	n/a	n/a	1	1
#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	1, vs. Pacific (8/30/19)	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)	2, 2x (last: 10/12/18 at Clemson)	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)	13
#99 - Marcel DaSilva	11 at Creighton (9/19/17)	4 (3 at Tulsa; 1 at UVA)

## THE LAST TIME

TEAM	THE LAST TIME
Home win	2-0 vs. NC State, Sept. 20, 2019
Home loss	0-2 vs. Pittsburgh, Oct. 31, 2018
Home tie	0-0 vs. Notre Dame, Oct. 23, 2018
Away win	3-1 at Duke, Sept. 13, 2019
Away loss	0-1 (OT) at Notre Dame, Nov. 25, 2018
Away tie	0-0, at Louisville, Nov. 5, 2017
Neutral win	2-0 vs. Maryland (Washington, D.C.), Sept. 2, 2019
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	2-0 vs. NC State, Sept. 20, 2019
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. Radford, Sept. 17, 2019
Scored 2 goals	2-0 vs. NC State, Sept. 20, 2019
Scored 3 goals	3-1, at Duke, Sept. 13, 2019
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	Joe Bell, 2-0 vs. NC State, Sept. 20, 2019
Allowed 0 goals	2-0 vs. NC State, Sept. 20, 2019
Allowed 1 goal	3-1 at Duke, Sept. 13, 2019
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
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 vs. Pacific, Aug. 30, 2019
Shutout	Colin Shutler 2-0 vs. NC State, Sept. 20, 2019
Red Card	Henry Kessler vs. Duke, Oct. 5, 2018

# 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.



**20**

**Cabrel HAPPI KAMSEU**  
So. | F/M  
Harare, Zimbabwe



**21**

**Aaron JAMES**  
R-Jr. | M  
Amherst, Mass.



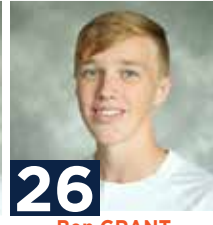
**23**

**Matthew WARBRICK**  
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So. | M  
Charlottesville, Va.



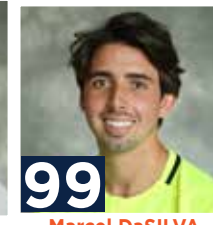
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**Beau BRADLEY**  
Jr. | D  
Manasquan, N.J.



**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