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BY PERCENTAGE

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Coach, Teams	Yrs.	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
1. *Scott Whitlock (Kennesaw St. 1991-2002)	12	579	89	0	.867
2. *#Sue Enquist (UCLA 1989-2002)	14	696	130	1	.842
3. *Mike Candrea (Arizona 1986-2002)	17	926	184	0	.834
4. #Sharron Backus (UCLA 1976-96)	21	840	167	3	.833
5. *Jan Hutchinson (Bloomsburg 1978-2002)	25	894	187	1	.827
6. June Walker (Col. of New Jersey 1974-95)	22	721	154	0	.824
7. *Frank Cheek (Humboldt St. 1989-2002)	14	657	173	2	.791
8. *Chris Bellotto (Fla. Southern 1985-2002)	18	712	212	0	.771
9. *Yvette Girouard (La. Lafayette 1981-2000; LSU 2001-02)	22	874	272	0	.763
10. *JoAnne Graf (Florida St. 1984-2002)	19	949	291	6	.758
11. Dan Simmons (Neb.-Kearney 1988-2000)	13	442	145	0	.753
12. *George Wares (Central Iowa] 1985-2002)	18	616	204	2	.751
13. *Margie Wright (Illinois St. 1980-85; Fresno St. 86-2002)	23	1028	343	3	.749
14. *Denny Griffin (Alma 1989-2002)	14	425	144	0	.747
15. *Gina Loudenburg (Wheaton [Mass.] 1990-2002)	13	360	121	2	.747
16. Gary Torgeson (Cal St. Northridge 1982-94)	13	636	216	7	.744
17. *Sandy Jerstad (Augustana [S.D.] 1977-2002)	26	967	338	2	.741
18. Cathy Compton (Eureka 1987-90; Nicholls St. 91-95; LSU 97-98)	11	412	143	4	.741
19. Joey Arrietta (Akron 1980-89)	10	326	115	4	.737
20. Kathy Tropp Veronesi (Mount Holyoke 1979-84; Nicholls 85-92)	14	188	71	0	.726
21. Clyde Washburne (Eastern Conn. St. 1977-87, 93)	12	284	110	1	.720
22. Turan Smith (Norfolk St. 1987-2000)	14	378	147	1	.720
23. Mike McGovern (Ill.-Chicago 1990-2001)	13	582	227	1	.719
24. *Joyce Compton (Missouri 1983-86; South Carolina 87-2002)	20	850	345	2	.711
25. Sandy Fischer (Oklahoma St. 1979-2001)	23	853	358	3	.704

*Active coach; #Cohead coaches for 1989-96.

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11. *Joyce Compton (Missouri 1983-86; South Carolina 87-2002)	20	850	345	2	.711
12. #Sharron Backus (UCLA 1976-96)	21	840	167	3	.832
13. *Kathy Welter (Okla. Baptist 1980-82; Texas Tech 83-85; Cal St. Bakersfield 86-99)	23	828	356	6	.698
14. *Linda Wells (Minnesota 1974-75, 77-89; Arizona St. 90-2002)	28	819	597	1	.578
15. *Margo Jonker (Central Mich. 1980-2002)	23	807	429	5	.652
16. *Elaine Sortino (Massachusetts 1980-2002)	23	785	340	3	.697
17. *Carol Hutchins (Ferris St. 1982; Michigan 85-2002)	19	777	320	4	.708
18. *Judy Groff (American Int'l 1969-2002)	34	776	414	3	.652
19. *Kathy Veroni (Western Ill. 1973-2002)	29	770	507	2	.603
20. June Walker (Col. of New Jersey 1974-95)	22	721	154	0	.824
21. *Chris Bellotto (Fla. Southern 1985-2002)	18	712	212	0	.771
22. Sharon Drysdale (Kansas 1973-76; Northwestern 79-2001)	27	704	529	3	.571
23. Bob Brock (Baylor 1980-81; Texas A&M 82-96)	17	695	298	0	.700
24. Meredith Bakley (Valley City St. 1973-77; Northern Iowa 78-2000)	28	690	552	3	.554
25. %Carol Spanks (Cal Poly Pomona 1979-93; UNLV 95-97)	18	688	375	6	.646

*Active coach; #Cohead coach with Sue Enquist for 1989-96; %Cohead coach with Shan McDonald for 1995-97.

Division I Coaches' Records

Winningest Active Coaches

BY PERCENTAGE

(Minimum five years as a Division I head coach; includes spring varsity fast-pitch record at four-year colleges only.)

Coach, Team	Yrs.	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
1. #Sue Enquist, UCLA	14	696	130	1	.842
2. Mike Candrea, Arizona	17	926	184	0	.834
3. Yvette Girouard, LSU	22	874	272	0	.763
4. Patty Gasso, Oklahoma	8	402	126	0	.761
5. JoAnne Graf, Florida St.	19	949	291	6	.758
6. Margie Wright, Fresno St.	23	1,028	343	3	.749
7. Lu Harris-Champer, Georgia	6	301	107	1	.737
8. Joyce Compton, South Carolina	20	850	345	1	.711
9. Carol Hutchins, Michigan	19	777	320	4	.708
10. Elaine Sortino, Massachusetts	23	785	340	3	.697
11. Bill Galloway, Louisiana Tech	24	881	390	2	.693
12. Mike Rapp, Canisius	23	537	238	2	.692
13. Tracey Kee, East Carolina	6	286	131	0	.686
14. Gayle Blevins, Iowa	23	927	433	5	.681
15. Dick Blood, Cornell	7	227	111	0	.672
16. Joan Joyce, Fla. Atlantic	8	373	170	0	.687
17. John Rittman, Stanford	6	255	124	2	.672
18. Tiny Laster, Hampton	13	384	189	1	.670
19. Teresa Wilson, Washington	16	688	345	0	.666
20. Melanie Davis, Troy St.	9	382	191	2	.666
21. Ralph Weekly, Tennessee	6	226	113	1	.666
22. Eugene Lentz, DePaul	21	729	368	4	.664
23. Bill Edwards, Hofstra	13	452	228	2	.664
24. Diane Ninemire, California	15	653	336	0	.660
25. Karen Mullins, Connecticut	21	606	319	4	.654
26. Margo Jonker, Central Mich.	23	807	429	5	.652



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Diane Ninemire, who ranks inn the top 25 for Division I active coaches, led California to its first softball championship in 2002.

Coach, Team	Yrs.	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
27. Frank Griffin, Stetson	13	418	223	0	.652
28. Connie Clark, Texas	6	230	126	1	.646
29. Linda Kalafatis, Ohio St.	14	472	261	2	.644
30. Ron DeRogatis, St. Peter's	5	167	92	2	.644
31. Rhonda Revelle, Nebraska	11	397	222	0	.641
32. Lana Richmond, Southeast Mo. St.	20	623	359	2	.634
33. Jay Miller, Missouri	18	707	415	0	.630
34. Ken Eriksen, South Florida	6	259	153	1	.628
35. Donna Papa, North Carolina	19	621	376	3	.623
36. Pete Manarino, Long Beach St.	19	692	440	2	.611
37. Jennifer Finley, Boston College	9	282	180	1	.610
38. Jo Evans, Texas A&M	17	527	344	2	.605
39. Kathy Veroni, Western Ill.	29	770	507	2	.603
40. Jana McGinnis, Jacksonville St.	9	272	179	0	.603
41. Ray VanderMay, Seton Hall	6	162	110	2	.595
42. Mona Stevens, Utah	6	217	150	1	.591
43. Jess Dannelly, Coastal Caro.	15	485	339	0	.589
44. †Lisa Bernstein-O'Brien, Minnesota	11	392	273	1	.589
45. Jenny Allard, Harvard	8	207	144	1	.589
46. Melinda Fischer, Illinois St.	17	549	387	2	.586
47. Maria DiBernardi, Villanova	18	460	325	6	.585
48. Scot Thomas, Virginia Tech	7	245	170	0	.585
48. Brent Vigness, Creighton	14	409	294	1	.582
50. Melody Cope, St. John's (N.Y.)	9	299	214	4	.582
51. Bob Coolen, Hawaii	16	487	351	1	.581
52. Linda Wells, Arizona St.	28	819	597	1	.578
53. Roy Kortmann, Long Island	8	221	161	2	.578
54. Cheryl Sprangel, Virginia	19	657	486	1	.575
55. Kim Gwydir, Florida Int'l	9	288	213	1	.575
56. Fran Troyan, Lehigh	7	199	147	0	.575
57. Deanna Parks, Akron	9	234	174	0	.574
58. Craig Coleman, Robert Morris	12	314	237	1	.570
59. Pat Willis, Rutgers	23	573	434	7	.569
60. Donna Martin, Northern Ill.	8	244	191	1	.561

#Cohead coach with Sharron Backus for 1989-96; \$Cohead coach with George Burgin for 1995; †Cohead coach with Julie Stander for 1999.

(Minimum five years as a four-year college head coach but less than five years at Division I level.)

Coach, Team	Yrs.	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
1. Tory Acheson, Tennessee Tech	11	476	191	1	.713
2. Mary Yori, Colorado St.	13	488	228	3	.681
3. Dee Dee Enabenter, San Jose St.	18	480	238	3	.668
4. Judy Favor, Wichita St.	10	336	190	0	.639
5. Chris Cannata, Albany (N.Y.)	8	203	117	0	.634
6. Drew Peterson, Campbell	12	339	213	2	.614
7. Teri Mariani, Portland St.	26	608	488	0	.555
8. Elizabeth Luckie, Sacred Heart	14	305	257	3	.542

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9. Margo Jonker, Central Mich.	23	807	429	5	.652
10. Elaine Sortino, Massachusetts	23	785	340	3	.697
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12. Kathy Veroni, Western Ill.	29	770	507	2	.603
13. Eugene Lentz, DePaul	21	729	368	4	.664
14. Jay Miller, Mississippi St.	18	707	415	0	.630
15. #Sue Enquist, UCLA	14	696	130	1	.842
16. Pete Manarino, Long Beach St.	19	692	440	2	.611
17. Teresa Wilson, Washington	16	688	345	0	.666
18. @Susan Craig, New Mexico	26	675	586	2	.535
19. Cheryl Sprangel, Virginia	19	657	486	1	.575
20. Diane Ninemire, California	15	653	336	0	.660
21. Lana Richmond, Southeast Mo. St.	20	623	359	2	.634
22. Lloydene Searle, Eastern Ill.	22	623	514	2	.548
23. Donna Papa, North Carolina	19	621	376	3	.623
24. Karen Mullins, Connecticut	21	606	319	4	.654
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28. Jo Evans, Texas A&M	17	527	344	2	.605
29. Kathy Strahan, Sacramento St.	19	522	510	3	.506
30. Rosemary Holloway, La.-Monroe	18	492	553	3	.471

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33. Jess Dannelly, Coastal Caro.	15	485	339	0	.589
34. Linda Kalafatis, Ohio St.	14	472	261	2	.644
35. Maria DiBernardi, Villanova	18	460	325	6	.585
36. Bill Edwards, Hofstra	13	452	228	2	.664
37. B.J. Ferguson, Delaware	22	431	389	2	.526
38. Frank Griffin, Stetson	13	418	223	0	.652
39. Karen Linder, Kent	17	414	350	1	.542
40. Jacquie Joseph, Michigan St.	14	412	381	0	.520
41. Patty Gasso, Oklahoma	8	402	126	0	.761
42. Brent Vigness, Creighton	14	409	294	1	.582
43. Diane Stephenson, Indiana	15	402	402	4	.500
44. Rhonda Revelle, Nebraska	11	397	222	0	.641
45. Julie Brzezinski, Fairfield	13	394	328	2	.545
46. †Lisa Bernstein-O'Brien, Minnesota	11	392	273	1	.589
47. Lisa Boyer, Cal Poly	14	392	311	1	.558
48. Tiny Laster, Hampton	13	384	189	1	.670
49. Melanie Davis, Troy St.	9	382	191	2	.666
50. Carol Kashow, Pennsylvania	22	381	483	4	.441
51. Joan Joyce, Fla. Atlantic	8	373	170	0	.687
52. Holly Hesse, Southwest Mo. St.	14	356	354	1	.501

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16. Tom Thompson (Lehigh 1976-78; Long Island 82-92)	14	263	117	0	.692
17. &Janel Ficke (Adelphi 1972-89)	18	362	160	4	.688
18. *Gayle Blevins (Indiana 1980-87; Iowa 88-2002)	23	927	433	5	.681
19. &Kathryn Raub (Adelphi 1980-89)	10	278	132	3	.673
20. *Tiny Laster (Hampton 1990-2002)	13	384	189	1	.670
21. *Teresa Wilson (Oregon 1986-89; Minnesota 90-91; Washington 1993-2002)	16	688	345	0	.666
22. Cindy Cohen (Princeton 1983-2000)	18	557	278	3	.665
23. *Bill Edwards (Hofstra 1990-2002)	13	452	228	2	.664
24. *Karen Mullins (Nichols 1980-81; Connecticut 84-2002)	21	606	319	4	.654
25. Mary Higgins (Creighton 1977-93)	17	564	299	0	.654

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With 22 years in the coaching ranks, Yvette Girouard can boast 874 wins and took LSU to the Women's College World Series in 2001.

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4. Rick Bertagnoli, Calif. (Pa.)	11	451	100	0	.819
5. Frank Cheek, Humboldt St.	14	657	173	2	.791
6. Michele Myslinski, Merrimack	10	376	103	0	.785
7. Chris Bellotto, Fla. Southern	18	712	212	0	.771
8. Vickee Hollifield, Carson-Newman	17	580	175	0	.768
9. Marty McDaniel, Armstrong Atlantic	5	191	60	0	.761
10. Paul U'ren, St. Cloud St.	5	208	66	0	.759
11. Sandy Jerstad, Augustana (S.D.)	26	967	338	2	.741
12. %Steve Warner, West Va. Wesleyan	10	341	118	1	.742
13. Les Stuedeman, Ala.-Huntsville	7	323	120	0	.729
14. Howard Okita, Hawaii Pacific	14	441	179	2	.711
15. Bill Haller, Minn.-Duluth	21	579	240	1	.707
16. Kathy Welter, Cal St. Bakersfield	23	828	356	6	.698
17. Alvy Early, Ark. Monticello	5	185	84	1	.685
18. Oscar Downs, Kentucky St.	7	127	61	0	.676
19. Doug Spears, Grand Valley St.	13	483	232	3	.675
20. Sheilah Gulas, Ashland	16	438	214	0	.672
21. Tami Cyr, West Fla.	14	560	275	1	.670
22. Chris Hawkins, S.C.-Spartanburg	8	257	127	0	.669
23. Kris Mort, Mesa St.	9	282	144	0	.662
24. Kathy DeYoung, UC Davis	24	698	359	2	.660
25. George DiMatteo, Lewis	19	610	314	6	.659
26. Kim Newbern, Washburn	6	209	111	0	.653
27. Judy Groff, American Int'l.	34	776	414	3	.652
28. Doug Spears, Lander	21	709	389	1	.646
29. Rita Higginbotham, Mississippi-Women	19	542	297	0	.646
30. Michelle Caddigan, Wingate	6	191	105	2	.644
31. Sandy Montgomery, SIU-Edwardsville	14	461	260	2	.639
32. Tonya Braxton, Bowie St.	7	129	74	0	.635
33. Dianne Baker, Texas Woman's	21	688	399	2	.633
34. Ralph DeLucia, Assumption	5	146	89	4	.619
35. Kerri Becker, Ferris St.	6	201	125	0	.617
36. Rhesa Sumrell, Central Mo. St.	27	691	433	0	.615
37. Callen Perreira, Hawaii-Hilo	9	275	175	2	.611
38. Judy Lawes, Kutztown	15	391	250	1	.610
39. Gary Bryce, Wayne St. (Mich.)	21	681	441	5	.606
40. Kathy Riley, Longwood	9	244	166	1	.595
41. Ken King, Le Moyne	5	128	88	3	.591
42. Kevin Blaskowski, Southern Ark.	10	310	217	0	.588
43. Bill Gray, Francis Marion	6	194	136	0	.588
44. Dan Burns, Lincoln Memorial	8	244	172	0	.587
45. Sue Snyder, Indiana (Pa.)	8	195	137	0	.587
46. Lori Meyer, Minn. St. Mankato	18	542	384	2	.585
47. Michelle Frew, Rollins	6	167	119	0	.584
48. Dianthia Ford-Kee, Shaw	12	242	173	0	.583
49. Holly Brown, Binghamton	7	164	118	1	.581
50. Brian DeMasters, Queens (N.Y.)	14	330	256	1	.563

%Cohead coach with Mike Hinkle for 1993; #Cohead coach with Jill Meerman for 1991; @Cohead coach with Michelle Goldman for 1997.

BY VICTORIES

(Minimum five years as a head coach; includes spring varsity fast-pitch record at four-year colleges only.)

Coach, Team	Yrs.	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
1. Sandy Jerstad, Augustana (S.D.)	26	967	328	2	.741
2. Jan Hutchinson, Bloomsburg	25	894	187	1	.827
3. Kathy Welter, Cal St. Bakersfield	23	828	356	6	.698
4. Judy Groff, American Int'l.	34	776	414	3	.652
5. Chris Bellotto, Fla. Southern	18	712	212	0	.771
6. Doug Spears, Lander	21	709	389	0	.646
7. Kathy DeYoung, UC Davis	24	698	359	2	.660
8. Rhesa Sumrell, Central Mo. St.	27	691	433	0	.615
9. Dianne Baker, Texas Woman's	21	688	399	2	.633
10. Gary Bryce, Wayne St. (Mich.)	21	681	441	5	.606
11. Frank Cheek, Humboldt St.	14	657	173	2	.791
12. George DiMatteo, Lewis	19	610	314	6	.659
13. Vickee Hollifield, Carson-Newman	17	580	175	0	.768
14. Scott Whitlock, Kennesaw St.	12	579	89	0	.867
15. Bill Haller, Minn.-Duluth	21	579	240	1	.707
16. Tami Cyr, West Fla.	14	560	275	0	.670

Coach, Team	Yrs.	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
17. Lori Meyer, Minn. St.-Mankato.....	18	542	384	2	.585
18. Rita Higginbotham, Mississippi-Women.....	19	542	297	0	.646
19. #Doug Woods, Grand Valley St.....	13	483	232	3	.675
20. Sandy Montgomery, SIU-Edwardsville.....	14	461	260	2	.639
21. Rick Bertagnolli, Calif. (Pa.).....	11	451	100	0	.819
22. David Hanna, Coker.....	11	446	88	1	.835
23. Howard Okita, Hawaii Pacific.....	14	441	179	2	.711
24. John Stutsman, Quincy.....	16	439	345	1	.560
25. Sheilah Gulas, Ashland.....	16	438	214	0	.672
26. Jan Schefkowitz, Cal St. Stanislaus.....	21	396	471	0	.453
27. Megan Bryant, Stony Brook.....	15	390	355	4	.523
28. Michele Myslinski, Merrimack.....	10	376	103	0	.785
29. Marty Blowers, Southern Colo.....	12	362	285	2	.559
30. Claudia Stabile, Pace.....	21	355	379	3	.484
31. %Steve Warner, West Va. Wesleyan.....	10	341	118	1	.742
32. Jimmy Martin, Limestone.....	13	340	326	0	.511
33. Janet Montgomery, West Ala.....	14	338	344	1	.496
34. Brian DeMasters, Queens (N.Y.).....	14	330	256	1	.563
35. Jim Kiernan, Dowling.....	17	327	312	3	.512
36. Jerry Snyder, S.C.-Aiken.....	12	309	304	2	.504
37. Sonya Wilmoth, North Fla.....	13	308	254	0	.548
38. Kris Mort, Mesa State.....	9	282	144	0	.662
39. Les Stuedeman, Ala.-Huntsville.....	7	323	120	0	.729
40. Callen Pereira, Hawaii-Hilo.....	9	275	175	2	.611
41. Teri Rupe, Cal St. Chico.....	12	299	270	3	.525
42. Chris Hawkins, S.C.-Spartanburg.....	8	257	127	0	.669
43. Dan Burns, Lincoln Memorial.....	8	244	172	0	.587
44. Kathy Riley, Longwood.....	9	244	166	1	.595
45. Dianthia Ford-Kee, Shaw.....	12	242	173	0	.583
46. Nancy Bottge, Florida Tech.....	8	224	184	0	.549
47. Jo Kord, Emporia St.....	9	220	172	1	.561
48. Kathy VWhalen, Adelphi.....	8	217	164	1	.569
49. Kim Zarling, South Dakota.....	7	213	224	0	.487
50. Kim Newbern, Washburn.....	6	209	111	0	.653

#Cohead coach with Jill Meerman for 1991; %Cohead coach with Mike Hinkle for 1993.

Winningest Coaches All-Time

BY PERCENTAGE

(Minimum 10 years as a Division II head coach; includes spring varsity fast-pitch record at four-year colleges only.)

Coach, Teams	Yrs.	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
1. *Scott Whitlock (Kennesaw St. 1991-2002).....	12	579	89	0	.867
2. *David Hanna (Coker 1992-2002).....	11	446	88	1	.835
3. *Jan Hutchinson (Bloomsburg 1978-2002).....	25	894	187	1	.827
4. *Rick Bertagnolli (S.C.-Spartanburg 1992-93; Calif. (Pa.) 1994-2002).....	11	451	100	0	.819
5. *Frank Cheek (Humboldt St. 1989-2002)....	14	657	173	2	.791
6. *Michelle Myslinski (Merrimack 1993-2002).....	10	376	103	0	.785
7. *Chris Belloito (Fla. Southern 1985-2002)...	18	712	212	0	.771
8. *Vickey Hollifield (Carson-Newman 1986-2002).....	17	580	175	0	.768
9. Dan Simmons (Neb.-Kearney 1988-2000).....	13	442	145	0	.753
10. *Sandy Jerstad (Augustana [S.D.] 1977-2002).....	26	967	338	2	.741
11. Turan Smith (Norfolk St. 1987-2000).....	14	378	147	1	.719
12. *Bill Haller (Minn.-Duluth 1982-2002).....	21	579	240	1	.707
13. *Kathy Welter (Okla. Baptist 1980-82; Texas Tech 83-85; Cal St. Bakersfield 86-2002).....	23	828	356	6	.698
14. Pat Lipira (Mo. Southern St. 1982-2000)....	19	633	275	0	.697
15. Bobby Davis (Shippensburg 1985-2000) ...	16	448	204	4	.683
16. \$Mary Yori (Neb.-Omaha 1989-99; Colorado St. 2001-02).....	13	488	228	3	.681
17. *#Doug Woods (Grand Valley St. 1991-2002).....	13	483	232	3	.675
18. Diane Potter (Springfield 1964-85).....	22	241	124	0	.660
19. *Kathy DeYoung (UC Davis 1979-2002) ...	24	698	359	2	.660
20. *George DiMatteo (Lewis 1984-2002).....	19	610	314	6	.659
21. *Judy Groff (American Int'l 1969-2002).....	34	776	414	3	.652
22. *Rita Higginbotham (Mississippi-Women 1984-2002).....	19	542	297	0	.646
23. Mike Corbett (Gannon 1991-2000).....	12	323	179	0	.643
24. †Lisle Lloyd (Chapman 1983-98).....	16	529	303	2	.635
25. *Sandy Montgomery (SIU-Edwardsville 1989-2002).....	14	461	260	2	.639

*Active coach; †Cohead coach with Janet Lloyd for 1995-98. \$Now coaching at the Division I level.

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2. *Jan Hutchinson (Bloomsburg 1978-2002).....	25	894	187	1	.827
3. *Kathy Welter (Okla. Baptist 1980-82; Texas Tech 83-85; Cal St. Bakersfield 86-2002).....	23	828	356	6	.698
4. *Judy Groff (American Int'l 1969-2002).....	34	776	414	3	.652
5. *Chris Belloito (Fla. Southern 1985-2002)...	18	712	212	0	.771
6. *Doug Spears (Lander 1982-2002).....	21	709	389	1	.646
7. *Kathy DeYoung (UC Davis 1979-2002) ...	24	698	359	2	.660
8. *Rhesa Sumrell (Mo. Western St. 1976-86; Missouri 87; Central Mo. St. 88-2002)...	27	691	433	0	.615
9. *Dianne Baker (Stephen F. Austin 1981-95; Texas Woman's (1997-2002).....	21	688	399	2	.633
10. *Gary Bryce (Wayne St. [Mich.] 1982-2002).....	21	681	441	5	.606
11. *Frank Cheek (Humboldt St. 1989-2002)...	14	657	173	2	.791
12. Pat Lipira (Mo. Southern St. 1982-2000)....	19	633	275	0	.697
13. *George DiMatteo (Lewis 1984-2002).....	19	610	314	6	.659
14. *\$Teri Mariani (Portland St. 1977-2002) ...	26	608	488	0	.555
15. *Bill Haller (Minn.-Duluth 1982-2002).....	21	579	240	1	.707
16. *Scott Whitlock (Kennesaw St. 1991-2002).....	12	579	89	0	.867
17. *Lori Meyer (Minn. St. Mankato 1985-2002).....	18	542	284	2	.585
18. *Rita Higginbotham (Mississippi-Women 1984-2002).....	19	542	297	0	.646
19. †Lisle Lloyd (Chapman 1983-98).....	16	529	303	2	.635
20. *\$Mary Yori (Neb.-Omaha 1989-99; Colorado St. 2001-02).....	13	488	228	3	.681
21. Paul King (Sonoma St. 1984-2000).....	17	482	436	0	.525
22. *Sandy Montgomery (SIU-Edwardsville 1989-2002).....	14	461	260	2	.639
23. Bobby Davis (Shippensburg 1985-2000) ...	16	448	204	4	.683
24. Dan Simmons (Neb.-Kearney 1988-2000).....	13	442	145	0	.753
25. John Stutsman, Quincy (1986-2000).....	16	439	345	1	.560

*Active coach; †Cohead coach with Janet Lloyd for 1995-98. \$Now coaching at the Division I level.

Division III Coaches' Records

Winningest Active Coaches

BY PERCENTAGE

(Minimum five years as a head coach; includes spring varsity fast-pitch record at four-year colleges only.)

Coach, Team	Yrs.	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
1. Henry Christowski, Simpson.....	7	248	54	1	.820
2. John Tschida, St. Thomas (Minn.).....	8	275	63	0	.814
3. Rick Noren, Pacific Lutheran.....	8	260	66	1	.797
4. George Wares, Central (Iowa).....	18	616	204	2	.751
5. Sally Miller, Col. of New Jersey.....	7	220	73	1	.750
6. †Janet Lloyd, Chapman.....	8	268	91	0	.747
7. Denny Griffin, Alma.....	14	425	144	0	.747
8. Gina Loudenburg, Wheaton (Mass.).....	13	360	121	2	.747
9. Alan Bayse, Roanoke.....	6	192	68	0	.738
10. John Byrne, Moravian.....	9	261	101	0	.721
11. Jim Kulawiak, North Central.....	14	378	149	2	.716
12. Paul Weiss, Chris. Newport.....	7	218	87	1	.714
13. Anita Kubicka, Montclair St.....	12	372	151	2	.710
14. George Dix, McDaniel.....	14	274	113	1	.707
15. Dennis Johnson, St. Benedict.....	16	350	151	3	.697
16. Kim Wilson, Rowan.....	12	269	122	0	.688
17. Len Maiorani, St. John Fisher.....	15	349	162	3	.682
18. Charlotte Slocum, Misericordia.....	22	451	212	0	.680
19. Alicia O'Brien, Western Conn. St.....	13	321	154	2	.675
20. Kris Talon, Tufts.....	15	313	151	3	.673
21. Mike Kirkpatrick, Gettysburg.....	13	229	115	0	.666
22. Linda Wage, Clark (Mass.).....	14	241	123	0	.662
23. Christen Ditzler, Lycoming.....	10	164	89	0	.648
24. Karla Wolters, Hope.....	28	501	273	0	.647
25. Lisa Gigliello, King's (Pa.).....	9	203	111	2	.646
26. Donna Newberry, Muskingum.....	28	608	334	1	.645
27. Jan Forsty, Bethany (W. Va.).....	20	407	235	3	.633
28. Dick Bailey, Colby.....	18	339	199	0	.630
29. Julie Kline, La Verne.....	10	247	146	1	.628
30. Bridget Baxter, Cabrini.....	5	143	85	2	.626
31. Deb Pallozzi, Ithaca.....	16	366	221	1	.623

Coach, Team	Yrs.	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
32. Julie Lenhart, Cortland St.	13	334	206	0	.619
33. Peter Brown, Union (N.Y.)	5	102	63	2	.617
34. Donnie Fulk, Bridgewater (Va.)	11	246	153	0	.617
35. Marge Willadsen, Buena Vista	22	504	313	2	.617
36. Sandy Hollander, Buffalo St.	14	318	203	2	.610
37. David Philop, N.M. Highlands	7	181	118	2	.605
38. Sandy Douglas, Mount Union	17	358	241	0	.598
39. Bonny Brown-Denico, Southern Me.	7	170	118	3	.589
40. Hallie Cohen, Wm. Paterson	23	393	274	1	.589
41. Lynne Olson, Worcester St.	22	331	232	2	.588
42. John Brackett, N.C. Wesleyan	10	233	170	0	.578
43. Jim Mills, Millikin	11	226	166	0	.577
44. Bruce Weckworth, Curry	7	145	107	5	.574
45. Charlie Beach, Keene St.	17	358	265	5	.574
46. Kim Tatro, Lawrence	9	160	120	0	.571
47. Linda Detva, Arcadia	8	145	109	0	.571
48. Deb Zellers, DePauw	7	129	102	3	.558
49. Karen Sweitzer, Eureka	12	229	191	4	.545
50. Kathy O'Leary, Salem St.	15	253	215	1	.541

†Cohead coach with Lisle Lloyd for 1995-98. % Cohead coach with Cherie Swineford for 2001

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1. George Wares, Central (Iowa)	18	616	204	2	.751
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3. Marge Willadsen, Buena Vista	22	504	313	2	.617
4. Karla Wolters, Hope	28	501	273	0	.647
5. Charlotte Slocum, Misericordia	22	451	212	0	.680
6. Denny Griffin, Alma	14	425	144	0	.747
7. Jan Forsty, Bethany (W.Va.)	20	407	235	3	.633
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12. Gina Loudenburg, Wheaton (Mass.)	13	360	121	2	.747
13. Charlie Beach, Keene St.	17	358	265	5	.574
14. Sandy Douglas, Mount Union	17	358	241	0	.598
15. Dennis Johnson, St. Benedict	16	350	151	3	.697
16. Len Maiorani, St. John Fisher	15	349	162	3	.682
17. Dick Bailey, Colby	18	339	199	0	.630
18. Julie Lenhart, Cortland St.	13	334	206	0	.619

Coach, Team	Yrs.	Won	Lost	Tied	Pct.
19. Lynne Olson, Worcester St.	22	331	232	2	.588
20. Alicia O'Brien, Western Conn. St.	13	321	154	2	.675
21. Sandy Hollander, Buffalo St.	14	318	203	2	.610
22. Kris Talon, Tufts	15	313	151	3	.673
23. Kathy Mangano, Springfield	13	307	272	1	.530
24. Sharon Panske, Wis.-Oshkosh	16	298	282	2	.514
25. Marilyn Ritz, Mass.-Dartmouth	19	284	262	4	.520
26. Mary Sullivan, Brandeis	28	279	286	2	.494
27. John Tschida, St. Thomas (Minn.)	8	275	63	0	.814
28. George Dix, McDaniel	14	274	115	1	.707
29. Faye Perkins, Wis.-River Falls	13	272	235	1	.536
30. Kim Wilson, Rowan	12	269	122	0	.688
31. Fred Dohrmann, Widener	20	268	254	0	.513
32. Janet Lloyd, Chapman	8	268	91	0	.747
33. Vickie Van Kleec, Ferrum	14	263	288	1	.477
34. John Byrne, Moravian	9	261	101	0	.721
35. Carol Enke, Augsburg	17	261	321	3	.449
36. Rick Noren, Pacific Lutheran	8	260	66	1	.797
37. Kathy O'Leary, Salem St.	15	253	215	1	.541
38. Henry Christowski, Simpson	7	248	54	1	.820
39. Julie Kline, La Verne	10	247	146	1	.628
40. Donnie Fulk, Bridgewater (Va.)	11	246	153	0	.617
41. Jeanne Arbuckle, Marietta	15	243	251	3	.492
42. Linda Wage, Clark (Mass.)	14	241	123	0	.662
43. Bonnie May, Smith	20	234	217	1	.519
44. John Brackett, N.C. Wesleyan	10	233	170	0	.578
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47. Jim Mills, Millikin	11	226	166	0	.577
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49. Paul Weiss, Chris. Newport	7	218	87	1	.714
50. Margie Knight, Salisbury	6	210	68	1	.754

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1. June Walker (Col. of New Jersey 1974-95)	22	721	154	0	.824
2. *George Wares (Central (Iowa) 1985-2002)	18	616	204	2	.751
3. *Denny Griffin (Alma 1989-2002)	14	425	144	0	.747
4. *Gina Loudenburg (Wheaton (Mass.) 1990-2002)	13	360	121	2	.747
5. Kathy Tropp Veronesi (Mount Holyoke 1979-84; Nichols 85-92)	14	188	71	0	.726
6. Clyde Washburne (Eastern Conn. St. 1977-87, 93)	12	284	110	1	.719
7. *Jim Kulawiak (North Central 1989-2002)	14	378	149	2	.716
8. Don Flewelling (Oneonta St. 1991-2001)	11	262	106	0	.712
9. *Anita Kubicka (Montclair St. 1991-2002)	12	372	151	2	.710
10. *George Dix (McDaniel 1989-2002)	14	274	113	1	.707
11. Irv Madsen (Wis.-Whitewater 1981-86, 94-98)	11	277	117	3	.702
12. Sam Bedrosian (Aurora 1977-94)	18	383	164	0	.698
13. *Dennis Johnson (St. Benedict 1987-2002)	16	350	151	3	.697
14. Deb DiMatteo (MacMurray 1979; Benedictine [Ill.] 81-94)	15	346	154	0	.692
15. *Kim Wilson (Wash. & Jeff. 1991-96; Rowan 1997-2002)	12	269	122	0	.688
16. *Len Maiorani (Brockport St. 1985-91; St. John Fisher 95-2002)	15	349	162	3	.682
17. Alicia O'Brien (Western Conn. St. 1990-2002)	13	321	154	2	.675
18. *Sheilah Gulas (Allegheny 1987-90; Wittenberg 91-96; Ashland 97-2002)	16	438	214	0	.672
19. *Kris Talon (Tufts 1988-2002)	15	313	151	3	.673
20. *Dee Dee Enabenter (Bridgewater St. 1984-91, 93-2000; San Jose St. 2002)	18	480	238	3	.668
21. *Mike Kirkpatrick (Gettysburg 1990-2002)	13	229	115	0	.666
22. *Linda Wage (Clark (Mass.) 1986-89, 93-2002)	14	241	123	0	.662
23. *Mandy Neal (Ill. Wesleyan 1989-2001; St. Mary-of-the-Woods 2002)	14	366	190	2	.657
24. Cyndi Gramlich-Covello (Wm. Paterson 1984, 88-94; Kean 85-87)	11	284	153	1	.648
25. Christine Ditzler (Lycoming 1993-2002)	10	164	89	0	.648

*Active coach; \$Now coaching at the Division I level; &Now coaching at the Division II level.



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Deb Palozzi, who has amassed 366 wins over 16 year, celebrates Ithaca's first national title in 2002.

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2. *George Wares [Central (Iowa) 1985-2002]	18	616	204	2	.751
3. *Donna Newberry (Muskingum 1975-2002)	28	608	334	1	.645
4. Betty Hoff (Luther 1969-2001)	33	520	349	1	.598
5. *Marge Willadsen (Buena Vista 1981-2002)	22	504	313	2	.617
6. *Karla Wolters (Calvin 1975-87; Hope 88-2002)	28	501	273	0	.647
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9. *Denny Griffin (Alma 1989-2002)	14	425	144	0	.747
10. Gayle Lauth (Ohio Northern 1968-2000)	33	425	317	2	.571
11. *Jan Forsty (Wheeling Jesuit 1982-86, Bethany (W.Va.) 1988-2002)	20	407	235	3	.633
12. *Hallie Cohen (FDU-Florham 1980-94; Wm. Paterson 95-2002)	23	393	274	1	.589
13. Sam Bedrosian (Aurora 1977-94)	18	383	164	0	.698
14. *Jim Kulawiak (North Central 1989-2002)	14	378	149	2	.716
15. *Anita Kubicka (Montclair St. 1991-2002)	12	372	151	2	.710
16. Steve Williams (St. Thomas [Minn.] 1982-96)	15	370	200	1	.648
17. *Deb Pallozzi (Rensselaer 1987-88; Ithaca 1989-2002)	16	366	221	1	.623
18. *Sandy Douglas (Mount Union 1986-2002)	17	358	241	0	.598
19. *Dennis Johnson (St. Benedict 1987-2002)	16	350	151	3	.697
20. Deb DiMatteo (MacMurray 1979; Benedictine [Ill.] 81-94)	15	346	154	0	.692
21. Mandy Neal (Ill. Wesleyan 1989-2001)	13	345	178	1	.659
22. *Dick Bailey (St. Joseph's (Me.) 1985-95; Westbrook 96; Colby 97-2002)	18	339	199	0	.630
23. *Lynne Olson (Worcester Tech 1980-85; Worcester St. 87-2002)	22	331	232	2	.588
24. Tom Witty (Gust. Adolphus 1977-97)	21	293	211	3	.581
25. Eric Geldart (Western New Eng. 1979-96)	18	288	190	0	.603

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After only 12 years as a head coach, Anita Kubicka has broken in to the top 15 for victories by a Division III coach with 372 and boasts a winning percentage of .710.