

# 2009 Championship

## Highlights

**Career performance leads Anteaters to volleyball crown:** UC Irvine's Ryan Ammerman made his last match his most memorable one by turning in a career performance to lead the Anteaters to a five-set victory over Southern California in the National Collegiate Men's Volleyball Championship match May 9 in Provo, Utah.

Ammerman, the Anteaters' setter, registered a career-high 13 total blocks, tied a career high with six kills and recorded 55 assists to help UC Irvine rally for a 26-30, 30-23, 26-30, 30-17, 15-12 victory. It is the program's second national title in the last three seasons.

As proficient as Ammerman was, the tournament's most outstanding player wasn't interested in hearing about his individual statistics.

"I just wanted to win and that's it," said Ammerman, whose team went 27-5 this season.

The Anteaters, who were swept by Southern California in the semifinals of the Mountain Pacific Sports Federation Tournament nine days before the NCAA finale, had a season-high 20.5 blocks to gain a measure of revenge against the Trojans (21-11).

Southern California entered the final as a long shot, having gained a spot in the four-team national bracket by upsetting No. 4 Stanford, the top-ranked Anteaters and second-ranked Pepperdine in the MPSF tourney. The postseason run came after the Trojans lost four of their previous six regular-season matches.

"The clock struck midnight on us," said Trojans coach Bill Ferguson, whose team beat defending national champion Penn State in the NCAA semifinals. "My hat is off to UC Irvine. We had a phenomenal run, but this one will be tough to swallow. I'm proud of what we've done, but we're not done yet. We expect to be here the next several years, and hopefully we'll get it together at the very end."

Besides having trouble penetrating UC Irvine's block, the Trojans had 22 serving errors and only two aces.

"The difference was we were able to contain their servers," said Anteaters coach John Speraw. "We did a much better job of taking away their tendencies."

Still, the Trojans led the match, 2-1, behind the hitting of Murphy Troy, who finished with a match-high 26 kills.

The Anteaters forced the fifth set by going on a 10-1 run in the middle of the fourth set en route to taking the game, 30-17.

In the deciding set, Southern California held an 8-6 advantage, but UC Irvine went on a 7-2 run to take control of the match. Taylor Wilson contributed a kill, and Ammerman and Bryan Simmons combined for a block during the run.

Sophomore Jordan DuFault put down his 14th kill on match point to set off UC Irvine's celebration.

"We usually talk about getting on runs," Speraw said. "But I felt this match was all about winning one point at a time. People could be talking about this match for a very long time. I know I will."

The Anteaters were also impressed by the strong support they received from the crowd of 3,015. Many of their fans made the trek to Utah to witness the event.

"The student support was unbelievable," Ammerman said. "People were coming in RVs and camping out."

## SEMIFINALS

### MAY 7 AT PROVO, UTAH

#### Southern California 3, Penn St. 1

##### Southern California

No.	Name	GP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
10	Riley McKibbin.....	4	5	2	8	.375	62	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	0
11	Murphy Troy .....	4	24	2	37	.595	0	0	2	1	5	0	0	0	0
14	Tony Ciarelli.....	4	19	7	36	.333	1	1	3	2	8	1	2	0	0
16	Austin Zahn .....	4	8	1	15	.467	0	0	4	1	0	1	3	0	0
17	Tri Bourne .....	4	13	2	24	.458	1	2	3	0	5	0	1	1	0
19	Hunter Current.....	4	7	0	8	.875	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	2	0
6	Matt Pavlovich.....	3	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
7	Luke Morris .....	4	0	0	0	.000	5	0	0	4	11	0	0	0	0
	Totals.....	4	76	14	128	.484	69	3	19	8	33	2	6	3	0

##### TEAM ATTACK PER GAME

Game	K	E	TA	Pct.
1	17	7	30	.333
2	17	1	24	.667
3	22	4	42	.429
4	20	2	32	.562

##### TOTAL TEAM BLOCKS: 5.0

##### GAME SCORES

	1	2	3	4	TEAM RECORDS
Southern California	27	30	30	30	21-10
Penn St.	30	26	26	24	27-4

##### Penn St.

No.	Name	GP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
7	Edgardo Goas .....	4	3	2	5	.200	60	2	1	0	3	1	2	3	0
9	Max Lipsitz .....	4	11	3	20	.400	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	0	0
11	Will Price.....	4	17	1	25	.640	2	5	6	3	5	0	1	0	0
12	Max Holt.....	4	13	1	20	.600	0	1	5	0	2	0	3	0	1
13	Ryan Sweitzer.....	4	7	4	19	.158	0	0	5	0	4	0	1	2	0
17	Joe Sunder .....	4	14	5	33	.273	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	2	0
6	Dennis Del Valle.....	4	0	0	0	.000	2	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0
10	Jon Sherrick.....	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Jay Stauffer.....	4	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
	Totals.....	4	65	16	122	.402	64	8	21	3	25	1	8	7	1

##### TEAM ATTACK PER GAME

Game	K	E	TA	Pct.
1	16	2	29	.483
2	14	5	25	.360
3	17	5	34	.353
4	18	4	34	.412

##### TOTAL TEAM BLOCKS: 5.0

**UC Irvine 3, Ohio St. 0****Ohio St.**

No.	Name	GP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
1	Steven Kehoe.....	3	1	1	4	.000	35	0	6	0	6	1	1	0	0
2	Kevin Heine.....	3	6	1	9	.556	0	0	1	0	1	0	3	1	0
7	Ben Spurlock.....	3	8	0	14	.571	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0
8	John Klanac.....	3	3	4	14	-.071	1	1	4	1	2	0	1	3	0
11	Ted Schoenfeldt.....	3	9	6	25	.120	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0
13	Robbie Klein.....	3	13	4	24	.375	0	0	5	0	2	0	0	0	0
3	Anthony Hock.....	3	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Shawn Sangrey.....	2	0	1	3	-.333	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0
10	Brian Kues.....	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
15	Mik Berzins.....	3	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	3	10	0	0	0	0
Totals.....		3	40	17	93	.247	37	1	19	5	24	1	8	6	0

**TEAM ATTACK PER GAME****TOTAL TEAM BLOCKS: 5.0**

Game	K	E	TA	Pct.	GAME SCORES	1	2	3	TEAM RECORDS
1	12	4	21	.381	Ohio St.	25	25	26	16-11
2	15	7	39	.205	UC Irvine	30	30	30	26-5
3	13	6	33	.212					

**UC Irvine**

No.	Name	GP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
2	Taylor Wilson.....	3	11	8	26	.115	0	1	2	1	3	0	0	0	0
3	Ryan Ammerman.....	3	1	1	5	.000	45	1	5	0	3	1	1	2	0
7	Jordan DuFault.....	3	10	2	20	.400	1	0	0	0	7	0	1	0	0
9	Carson Clark.....	3	12	4	24	.333	1	2	2	0	3	0	0	0	0
13	Austin D'Amore.....	2	3	2	6	.167	0	0	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
19	Kevin Wynne.....	3	8	0	12	.667	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0
1	Jon Steller.....	3	0	0	0	.000	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Nick Spittle.....	3	0	0	0	.000	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Brent Asuka.....	3	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0
16	Bryan Simmons.....	1	3	1	5	.400	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Totals.....		3	48	18	98	.306	47	5	17	1	27	2	4	2	0

**TEAM ATTACK PER GAME****TOTAL TEAM BLOCKS: 4.0**

Game	K	E	TA	Pct.
1	14	5	27	.333
2	17	5	34	.353
3	17	8	37	.243

**CHAMPIONSHIP****MAY 9 AT PROVO, UTAH****UC Irvine 3, Southern California 2****Southern California**

No.	Name	GP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
10	Riley McKibbin.....	5	0	0	1	.000	71	1	2	0	13	0	1	0	0
11	Murphy Troy.....	5	26	8	49	.367	0	0	4	0	6	0	1	0	0
14	Tony Ciarelli.....	5	15	11	41	.098	0	1	7	2	3	0	1	1	0
16	Austin Zahn.....	5	15	1	20	.700	0	0	2	0	2	1	2	1	0
17	Tri Bourne.....	5	12	7	25	.200	0	0	3	1	6	0	4	0	0
19	Hunter Current.....	5	9	2	21	.333	1	0	4	0	1	0	4	0	0
3	Brad Keenan.....	1	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
6	Matt Pavlovich.....	4	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7	Luke Morris.....	5	0	0	0	.000	2	0	0	1	15	0	0	0	0
9	Jon Hackett.....	1	0	0	1	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
20	Matt Knutson.....	1	0	1	1	-1.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	Vince Altamura.....	1	0	0	0	.000	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals.....		5	77	30	159	.296	75	2	22	4	47	1	13	2	0

**TEAM ATTACK PER GAME****TOTAL TEAM BLOCKS: 7.5**

Game	K	E	TA	Pct.	GAME SCORES	1	2	3	4	5	TEAM RECORDS
1	19	6	36	.361	Southern California	30	23	30	17	12	21-11
2	18	8	42	.238	UC Irvine	26	30	26	30	15	27-5
3	23	2	36	.583							
4	9	10	29	-.034							
5	8	4	16	.250							

**UC Irvine**

No.	Name	GP	K	E	TA	PCT	A	SA	SE	RE	DIG	BS	BA	BE	BHE
2	Taylor Wilson	5	21	3	48	.375	2	1	3	0	4	0	6	0	0
3	Ryan Ammerman	5	6	0	9	.667	55	0	2	0	5	1	12	0	1
7	Jordan DuFault	5	14	8	32	.188	2	0	1	0	11	0	3	0	0
9	Carson Clark	5	15	8	37	.189	1	0	2	0	9	0	1	0	0
12	Austin D'Amore	3	5	0	9	.556	0	0	0	0	3	0	7	0	0
19	Kevin Wynne	5	6	1	9	.556	3	2	2	0	3	0	3	0	0
1	Jon Steller	4	0	0	0	.000	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
6	Nick Spittle	2	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
8	Brent Asuka	5	0	0	0	.000	0	0	0	2	7	0	0	0	0
17	Bryan Simmons	2	4	0	5	.800	0	0	0	0	1	0	7	0	0
	Totals	5	71	20	149	.342	63	4	11	2	44	1	39	0	1

**TEAM ATTACK PER GAME****TOTAL TEAM BLOCKS: 20.5**

Game	K	E	TA	Pct.
1	14	7	32	.219
2	15	2	32	.406
3	19	5	42	.333
4	16	5	28	.393
5	7	1	15	.400

## History

### Team Results

Year	Champion (Record)	Coach	Score	Runner-Up	Host or Site	Championship Match Attendance	Championship Total Attendance
1970	UCLA (24-1)	Al Scates	3-0	Long Beach St.	UCLA	3,143	—
1971	UCLA (29-1)	Al Scates	3-0	UC Santa Barbara	UCLA	—	—
1972	UCLA (27-7)	Al Scates	3-2	San Diego St.	Ball St.	—	—
1973	San Diego St. (21-5)	Jack Henn	3-1	Long Beach St.	San Diego St.	7,762	13,412
1974	UCLA (30-5)	Al Scates	3-2	UC Santa Barbara	UC Santa Barbara	3,000	4,842
1975	UCLA (27-8)	Al Scates	3-1	UC Santa Barbara	UCLA	8,000	11,500
1976	UCLA (15-2)	Al Scates	3-0	Pepperdine	Ball St.	4,140	5,514
1977	Southern California (18-1)	Ernie Hix	3-1	Ohio St.	UCLA	4,500	5,152
1978	Pepperdine (21-4)	Marv Dunphy	3-2	UCLA	Ohio St.	4,756	7,415
1979	UCLA (30-0)	Al Scates	3-1	Southern California	UCLA	6,100	6,870
1980	Southern California (22-6)	Ernie Hix	3-1	UCLA	Ball St.	3,000	5,242
1981	UCLA (32-3)	Al Scates	3-2	Southern California	UC Santa Barbara	5,000	3,946
1982	UCLA (29-0)	Al Scates	3-0	Penn St.	Penn St.	5,641	7,476
1983	UCLA (27-4)	Al Scates	3-0	Pepperdine	Ohio St.	3,638	6,580
1984	UCLA (38-0)	Al Scates	3-1	Pepperdine	UCLA	9,809	12,898
1985	Pepperdine (25-2)	Marv Dunphy	3-1	Southern California	UCLA	6,378	7,908
1986	Pepperdine (22-7)	Rod Wilde	3-2	Southern California	Penn St.	3,610	6,925
1987	UCLA (38-3)	Al Scates	3-0	Southern California	UCLA	8,952	11,689
1988	Southern California (34-4)	Bob Yoder	3-2	UC Santa Barbara	IPFW	6,207	12,807
1989	UCLA (29-5)	Al Scates	3-1	Stanford	UCLA	7,244	9,436
1990	Southern California (26-7)	Jim McLaughlin	3-1	Long Beach St.	George Mason	5,511	8,347
1991	Long Beach St. (31-4)	Ray Ratelle	3-1	Southern California	Hawaii	—	5,184
1992	Pepperdine (24-4)	Marv Dunphy	3-0	Stanford	Ball St.	7,391	13,102
1993	UCLA (24-3)	Al Scates	3-0	Cal St. Northridge	UCLA	8,482	11,018
1994	Penn St. (26-3)	Tom Peterson	3-2	UCLA	IPFW	7,908	15,495
1995	UCLA (31-1)	Al Scates	3-0	Penn St.	Springfield, Mass.	4,376	7,925
1996	UCLA (26-5)	Al Scates	3-2	Hawaii	UCLA	7,688	11,396
1997	Stanford (27-4)	Ruben Nieves	3-2	UCLA	Ohio St.	3,798	6,237
1998	UCLA (28-4)	Al Scates	3-0	Pepperdine	Hawaii	9,822	18,901
1999	BYU (30-1)	Carl McGown	3-0	Long Beach St.	UCLA	8,026	13,513
2000	UCLA (29-5)	Al Scates	3-0	Ohio St.	IPFW	2,738	5,031
2001	BYU (23-4)	Carl McGown	3-0	UCLA	Long Beach St.	4,807	9,009
2002	*Hawaii (24-8)	Mike Wilton	3-1	Pepperdine	Penn St.	5,357	10,614
2003	**Lewis (29-6)	Dave Deuser	3-2	BYU	Long Beach St.	4,317	8,157
2004	BYU (29-4)	Tom Peterson	3-2	Long Beach St.	Hawaii	4,105	7,812
2005	Pepperdine (25-2)	Marv Dunphy	3-2	UCLA	UCLA	6,853	9,800
2006	UCLA (26-12)	Al Scates	3-0	Penn St.	Penn St.	5,453	8,916
2007	UC Irvine (29-5)	John Speraw	3-1	IPFW	Ohio St.	4,755	6,884
2008	Penn St. (30-1)	Mark Pavlik	3-1	Pepperdine	UC Irvine	4,531	9,003
2009	UC Irvine (27-5)	John Speraw	3-2	Southern California	BYU	3,015	5,579

\*Participation in 2002 championship vacated by NCAA Committee on Infractions.

\*\*Participation in 2003 championship vacated by NCAA Committee on Infractions.

## All-Tournament Teams

*\*Most Outstanding Player(s).*

### 1970

\*Dane Holtzman, UCLA  
Kirk Kilgour, UCLA  
Ed Becker, UCLA  
Dodger Parker, Long Beach St.  
Craig Foley, Long Beach St.  
Tom Bonyng, UC Santa Barbara

### 1971

\*Kirk Kilgour, UCLA  
\*Tim Bonyng, UC Santa Barbara  
Ed Machado, UCLA  
Dale Flannery, Ball St.  
Jorn Oulie, UC Santa Barbara  
Larry Griebenow, UCLA

### 1972

\*Dick Irvin, UCLA  
John Zajec, UCLA  
Rick Niemi, Ball St.  
Randy Stevenson, San Diego St.  
Wayne Gracey, San Diego St.  
David DeGroot, UC Santa Barbara

### 1973

\*Duncan McFarland, San Diego St.  
Chris Marlowe, San Diego St.  
Randy Stevenson, San Diego St.  
Dodger Parker, Long Beach St.  
Miles Pabst, Long Beach St.  
Dave Schakel, Ball St.

### 1974

\*Bob Leonard, UCLA  
Jim Menges, UCLA  
Mike Normand, UCLA  
Gerald Gregory, UC Santa Barbara  
David DeGroot, UC Santa Barbara  
Jon Roberts, UC Santa Barbara  
Jim Stone, Ball St.

### 1975

\*John Bekins, UCLA  
John Herren, UCLA  
Joe Mica, UCLA  
Marc Waldie, Ohio St.  
Jon Roberts, UC Santa Barbara  
David DeGroot, UC Santa Barbara

### 1976

\*Joe Mica, UCLA  
Marc Waldie, Ohio St.  
Dave Olbright, UCLA  
Fred Sturm, UCLA  
Denny Cline, UCLA  
Ted Dodd, Pepperdine  
Martin Nora, Pepperdine

### 1977

\*Celso Kalache, Southern California  
Marc Waldie, Ohio St.  
Dusty Dvorak, Southern California  
Bob Yoder, Southern California  
Aldis Berzins, Ohio St.  
Mike Buckingham, Ohio St.  
Nestor Paslawsky, Rutgers

### 1978

\*Mike Blanchard, Pepperdine  
Rod Wilde, Pepperdine  
Jay Anderson, Pepperdine  
Dave Olbright, UCLA  
Sinjin Smith, UCLA  
Steve Salmons, UCLA  
Aldis Berzins, Ohio St.

### 1979

\*Sinjin Smith, UCLA  
Steve Salmons, UCLA  
Peter Ehrman, UCLA  
Joe Mica, UCLA  
Bob Yoder, Southern California  
Pat Powers, Southern California  
Tim Hovland, Southern California

### 1980

\*Dusty Dvorak, Southern California  
Tim Hovland, Southern California  
Steve Timmons, Southern California  
Pat Powers, Southern California  
Steve Gulnac, UCLA  
Karch Kiraly, UCLA  
Andy Dumpis, Ohio St.

### 1981

\*Karch Kiraly, UCLA  
Steve Gulnac, UCLA  
Steve Salmons, UCLA  
Tim Hovland, Southern California  
John Hedlund, Southern California  
Bill Stetson, Southern California  
Ahmet Ozcay, Penn St.

### 1982

\*Karch Kiraly, UCLA  
Dave Saunders, UCLA  
Doug Partie, UCLA  
Dave Mochalski, UCLA  
Steve Hunkins, Penn St.  
Jeff Johnson, Penn St.  
Bill Stetson, Southern California

### 1983

\*Ricci Luyties, UCLA  
Doug Partie, UCLA  
Wally Martin, UCLA  
Steve Gulnac, UCLA  
Troy Tanner, Pepperdine  
Jeff Stork, Pepperdine  
Edwin Fernandez, Ohio St.

### 1984

\*Ricci Luyties, UCLA  
Doug Partie, UCLA  
Asbjorn Volstad, UCLA  
Roger Clark, UCLA  
Jeff Stork, Pepperdine  
Mike Fitzgerald, Pepperdine  
Ric Lucas, George Mason

### 1985

\*Bob Ctvrtlik, Pepperdine  
Bill Yardley, Southern California  
Rudy Dvorak, Southern California  
Chao Ying Zhang, Southern California  
Troy Tanner, Pepperdine  
Matt Rigg, Pepperdine  
Mike Fitzgerald, Pepperdine

### 1986

\*Steve Friedman, Pepperdine  
Rob Scott, Pepperdine  
Matt Rigg, Pepperdine  
Dave Yoder, Southern California  
Rudy Dvorak, Southern California  
Adam Johnson, Southern California  
Chris Chase, Penn St.

### 1987

\*Ozzie Volstad, UCLA  
Arne Lamberg, UCLA  
Jeff Williams, UCLA  
Chris Chase, Penn St.  
Javier Gaspar, Penn St.  
Adam Johnson, Southern California  
Dave Yoder, Southern California

### 1988

\*Jen-Kai Liu, Southern California  
Tom Duke, Southern California  
Bryan Ivie, Southern California  
Mike Lauterman, Southern California  
David Rottman, UC Santa Barbara  
John Wallace, UC Santa Barbara

### 1989

\*Matt Sonnichsen, UCLA  
Anthony Curci, UCLA  
Trevor Schirman, UCLA  
Matt Whitaker, UCLA  
Scott Fortune, Stanford  
Dan Hanan, Stanford  
Chris Chase, Penn St.

### 1990

\*Bryan Ivie, Southern California  
Dan Greenbaum, Southern California  
Jason Perkins, Southern California  
Kevin Shepard, Southern California  
Brent Hilliard, Long Beach St.  
Mark Kerins, Long Beach St.

### 1991

\*Brent Hilliard, Long Beach St.  
Brett Winslow, Long Beach St.  
Jason Stimpfig, Long Beach St.  
Alan Knipe, Long Beach St.  
Matt Lyles, Long Beach St.  
Bryan Ivie, Southern California

### 1992

\*Alon Grinberg, Pepperdine  
Tom Sorenson, Pepperdine  
Chip McCaw, Pepperdine  
Dave Goss, Stanford  
Duncan Blackman, Stanford  
David Muir, Penn St.

### 1993

\*Mike Sealy, UCLA  
\*Jeff Nygaard, UCLA  
Kevin Wong, UCLA  
Dan Landry, UCLA  
Axel Hager, Cal St. Northridge  
Ken Lynch, Cal St. Northridge  
Coley Kyman, Cal St. Northridge

### 1994

\*Ramon Hernandez, Penn St.  
Byron Schneider, Penn St.  
Ed Josefowski, Penn St.  
Jeff Nygaard, UCLA  
Erik Sullivan, UCLA  
Paul Nihipali, UCLA

### 1995

\*Jeff Nygaard, UCLA  
John Speraw, UCLA  
Stein Metzger, UCLA  
Ivan Contreras, Penn St.  
Todd Reimer, Ball St.  
Yuval Katz, Hawaii

### 1996

\*Yuval Katz, Hawaii  
Stein Metzger, UCLA  
Tom Stillwell, UCLA  
Aaron Wilton, Hawaii  
Jason Ring, Hawaii  
Kevin Hourican, Penn St.

### 1997

\*Mike Lambert, Stanford  
Matt Fuerbringer, Stanford  
Keenan Whitehurst, Stanford  
Paul Nihipali, UCLA  
Adam Naeve, UCLA  
Ivan Contreras, Penn St.

### 1998

\*Adam Naeve, UCLA  
Fred Robins, UCLA  
Brandon Taliaferro, UCLA  
Victor Rivera, Lewis  
Rick Tune, Pepperdine  
George Roumain, Pepperdine

### 1999

\*Ossie Antonetti, BYU  
Ryan Millar, BYU  
Chris Seiffert, Long Beach St.  
David McKenzie, Long Beach St.  
Jose Quinones, Penn St.  
Scott Lane, IPFW

### 2000

\*Brandon Taliaferro, UCLA  
Angel Aja, Ohio St.  
Chris Fash, Ohio St.  
Colin McMillan, Ohio St.  
Seth Burnham, UCLA  
Evan Thatcher, UCLA

<b>2001</b> *Mike Wall, BYU Hector Lebron, BYU Joaquin Acosta, BYU Scott Morrow, UCLA Adam Naeve, UCLA Jose Quinones, Penn St.	<b>2004</b> *Carlos Moreno, BYU Fernando Pessoa, BYU Scott Touzinsky, Long Beach St. Duncan Budinger, Long Beach St. Tyler Hildebrand, Long Beach St. Keith Kowal, Penn St. Jeff Soler, Lewis	<b>2007</b> *Matt Webber, UC Irvine Jayson Jablonsky, UC Irvine Brian Thornton, UC Irvine David Smith, UC Irvine C.J. Macias, IPFW Colin Lundeen, IPFW Paul Carroll, Pepperdine
<b>2002</b> *#Costas Theocharidis, Hawaii #Tony Ching, Hawaii Brad Keenan, Pepperdine Lance Walker, Pepperdine Carlos Guerra, Penn St. Paul Fasshauer, Ball St.  <i>#Hawaii's championship and participation in the 2002 tournament vacated by the NCAA Committee on Infractions.</i>	<b>2005</b> *Sean Rooney, Pepperdine Jon Parfitt, Pepperdine Jonathan Winder, Pepperdine Paul Johnson, UCLA Jonathan Acosta, UCLA Alex Gutor, Penn St. Mark Greaves, Ohio St.	<b>2008</b> *Matt Anderson, Penn St. Max Holt, Penn St. Luke Murray, Penn St. Max Lipsitz, Penn St. Jonathan Winder, Pepperdine Paul Carroll, Pepperdine J.D. Schleppenbach, Pepperdine
<b>2003</b> *#Gustavo Meyer, Lewis #Fabiano Barreto, Lewis #Ryan Stuntz, Lewis Rafael Paal, BYU Jonathan Alleman, BYU Carlos Guerra, Penn St.  <i>#Lewis' championship and participation in the 2002 tournament vacated by the NCAA Committee on Infractions.</i>	<b>2006</b> *Steve Klosterman, UCLA Damien Scott, UCLA Dennis Gonzalez, UCLA Dan O'Dell, Penn St. Matt Proper, Penn St. Nate Meerstein, Penn St. Jayson Jablonsky, UC Irvine	<b>2009</b> *Ryan Ammerman, UC Irvine Carson Clark, UC Irvine Taylor Wilson, UC Irvine Riley McKibbin, Southern California Murphy Troy, Southern California Austin Zahn, Southern California Will Price, Penn St.  <i>*Most Outstanding Player(s).</i>

**Tournament Records**

**(Since 1980)**

**INDIVIDUAL KILLS, MATCH**  
49—Chris Chase, Penn St. (2) vs. Southern California (3), 5-1-87.

**KILLS, TOURNAMENT**  
74—Yuval Katz, Hawaii, 1996 (27 vs. Penn St., 47 vs. UCLA).

**TOTAL ATTEMPTS, MATCH**  
97—Yuval Katz, Hawaii (2) vs. UCLA (3), 5-4-96.

**TOTAL ATTEMPTS, TOURNAMENT**  
143—Yuval Katz, Hawaii, 1996 (49 vs. Penn St., 94 vs. UCLA).

**SERVICE ACES, MATCH**  
5—Robert Chavez, Southern California (2) vs. UCLA (3), 5-9-81; Jeff Hurst, Ohio St. (0) vs. Southern California (3), 5-3-86; Efrain Lopez, George Mason (1) vs. Ball St. (3), 5-7-88; Greg Lehman, Ohio St. (1) vs. UCLA (3), 5-3-2001; Rafael Paal, BYU (2) vs. Lewis (3), 5-3-2003; Scott Touzinsky, Long Beach St. (2) vs. BYU (3), 5-8-2004; Kevin Wentzel, Penn St. (3) vs. UC Irvine (2), 5-4-2006; Will Price, Penn St. (1) vs. Southern California (3), 5-7-2009.

**SERVICE ACES, TOURNAMENT**  
9—Rafael Paal, BYU, 2003 (4 vs. Penn St., 5 vs. Lewis).

**BLOCK SOLOS, MATCH**  
11—Rob Scott, Pepperdine (3) vs. Penn St. (1), 5-2-86; Rob Scott, Pepperdine (3) vs. Southern California (2), 5-3-86.

**BLOCK SOLOS, TOURNAMENT**  
22—Rob Scott, Pepperdine, 1986 (11 vs. Penn St., 11 vs. Southern California).

**DIGS, MATCH**  
27—Uvaldo Acosta, George Mason vs. Ball St., 5-7-88.

**DIGS, TOURNAMENT**  
40—Uvaldo Acosta, George Mason, 1988 (13 vs. UC Santa Barbara, 27 vs. Ball St.).

**HITTING PERCENTAGE, MATCH (Min. 15 attempts)**  
.867—Jeff Nygaard, UCLA (3) vs. Ohio St. (0), 5-7-93 (13-0/15).

**HITTING PERCENTAGE, TOURNAMENT (Min. 20 attempts)**  
.788—Rick Tune, Pepperdine, 1998 (.833 vs. Princeton, 10-0/12; .762 vs. UCLA, 17-1/21).

**TEAM KILLS, MATCH**  
132—UCLA (3) vs. Lewis (2), 4-30-98.

**KILLS, TOURNAMENT**  
235—Pepperdine, 1986 (105 vs. Penn St., 130 vs. Southern California).

**TOTAL ATTEMPTS, MATCH**  
281—Southern California (3) vs. UC Santa Barbara (2), 5-7-88.

**TOTAL ATTEMPTS, TOURNAMENT**  
455—Pepperdine, 1986 (219 vs. Penn St., 236 vs. Southern California).

**SERVICE ACES, MATCH**  
21—Ohio St. (0) vs. Southern California (3), 5-2-86.

**SERVICE ACES, TOURNAMENT**  
22—Ohio St., 1986 (21 vs. Southern California, 1 vs. Penn St.).

**BLOCK SOLOS, MATCH**  
45—Pepperdine (3) vs. Penn St. (1), 5-2-86.

**BLOCK SOLOS, TOURNAMENT**  
77—Pepperdine, 1986 (45 vs. Penn St., 32 vs. Southern California).

**DIGS, MATCH**  
101—Southern California (3) vs. UC Santa Barbara (2), 1988.

**DIGS, TOURNAMENT**  
154—Southern California, 1988 (53 vs. Ball St., 101 vs. UC Santa Barbara).

**HITTING PERCENTAGE, MATCH**  
.542—UCLA (3) vs. IPFW (0), 5-6-94 (63-11/96).

**HITTING PERCENTAGE, TOURNAMENT**  
.463—UCLA, 1993 (.506 vs. Ohio St., 59-14/89; .439 vs. Cal St. Northridge, 92-24/155).

## Won-Lost Records in Tournament Play

(Note: Beginning in 1996, no third-place match was played. Semifinal losers are credited with third place.)

Team (Years Participated)	Years	Won	Lost	Pct.	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
Army (1973).....	1	0	5	.000	0	0	0	1
Ball St. (1970-71-72-73-74-79-84-85-88-89-90-94-95-97-2002).....	15	11	29	.275	0	0	10	5
BYU (1999-2001-03-04).....	4	7	1	.875	3	1	0	0
UC Irvine (2006-07-09).....	3	4	1	.800	2	0	1	0
UC Santa Barbara (1970-71-72-74-75-88).....	6	9	12	.429	0	4	1	1
Cal St. Northridge (1993).....	1	1	1	.500	0	1	0	0
George Mason (1984-85-88).....	3	2	4	.333	0	0	2	1
*Hawaii (1995-96).....	2	1	3	.250	0	1	0	1
IPFW (1991-92-94-99-2006-07).....	6	2	8	.200	0	1	3	2
**Lewis (1996-98-2004).....	3	0	3	.000	0	0	3	0
Long Beach St. (1970-73-90-91-99-2004-08).....	7	12	7	.632	1	5	1	0
Ohio St. (1975-76-77-78-80-81-82-83-86-87-93-2000-01-05-08-09).....	16	7	21	.250	0	2	9	5
Penn St. (1981-82-83-86-87-89-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-99-2000-01-02-03-04-05-06-07-08-09).....	24	13	24	.351	2	3	17	2
Pepperdine (1976-77-78-83-84-85-86-92-98-2000-02-03-05-07-08).....	15	17	10	.630	5	6	4	0
Princeton (1998).....	1	0	1	.000	0	0	1	0
Rutgers-Newark (1977-78-79-80-90).....	5	1	9	.100	0	0	1	4
San Diego St. (1972-73).....	2	7	3	.700	1	1	0	0
Southern California (1977-79-80-81-82-85-86-87-88-90-91-2009).....	12	16	8	.667	4	7	1	0
Springfield (1971-74-76).....	3	0	9	.000	0	0	0	3
Stanford (1989-92-97).....	3	4	2	.667	1	2	0	0
UCLA (1970-71-72-74-75-76-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-87-89-93-94-95-96-97-98-2000-01-05-06).....	25	52	7	.881	19	6	0	0
Yale (1975).....	1	0	2	.000	0	0	0	1

\*Participation in 2002 championship vacated by NCAA Committee on Infractions.

\*\*Participation in 2003 championship vacated by NCAA Committee on Infractions.

## All-Time Results

**1970 Round Robin:** UCLA def. UC Santa Barbara, 15-6, 15-10; Long Beach St. def. Ball St., 15-11, 17-15; UCLA def. Ball St., 15-4, 15-6; Long Beach St. def. UC Santa Barbara, 15-9, 15-10; Ball St. def. UC Santa Barbara, 15-9, 5-15, 15-13; UCLA def. Long Beach St., 15-12, 13-15, 15-2. **Semifinals:** UCLA def. UC Santa Barbara, 15-10, 15-13, 15-8; Long Beach St. def. Ball St., 16-14, 6-15, 15-10, 15-6. **Third Place:** UC Santa Barbara def. Ball St., 15-4, 15-4. **Championship:** UCLA def. Long Beach St., 15-7, 15-4, 15-8.

**1971 Round Robin:** UCLA def. Springfield, 15-3, 15-4; UC Santa Barbara def. Ball St., 15-3, 15-8; UCLA def. Ball St., 15-7, 15-12; UC Santa Barbara def. Springfield, 15-7, 15-12; UCLA def. UC Santa Barbara, 15-11, 14-16, 15-9; Ball St. def. Springfield, 15-3, 15-12. **Semifinals:** UCLA def. Springfield, 15-6, 15-1, 15-3; UC Santa Barbara def. Ball St., 15-12, 13-15, 15-8, 15-9. **Third Place:** Ball St. def. Springfield, 15-4, 15-6. **Championship:** UCLA def. UC Santa Barbara, 15-6, 17-15, 17-15.

**1972 Round Robin:** San Diego St. def. Ball St., 15-8, 6-15, 15-5; UCLA def. UC Santa Barbara, 15-13, 15-7; San Diego St. def. UCLA, 15-7, 15-11; UC Santa Barbara def. Ball St., 15-9, 15-13; UC Santa Barbara def. San Diego St., 15-13, 15-10; UCLA def. Ball St., 15-1, 15-4. **Semifinals:** UCLA def. Ball St., 15-9, 15-9, 12-15, 15-2; San Diego St. def. UC Santa Barbara, 11-15, 13-15, 15-9, 15-11, 15-12. **Third Place:** Ball St. def. UC Santa Barbara, 15-10, 15-4. **Championship:** UCLA def. San Diego St., 10-15, 9-15, 15-9, 15-10, 15-7.

**1973 Round Robin:** Long Beach St. def. Ball St., 15-11, 15-7; San Diego St. def. Army, 15-1, 15-6; San Diego St. def. Ball St., 17-19, 15-12, 15-5; Long Beach St. def. Army, 15-2, 15-3; Ball St. def. Army, 15-4, 15-7; Long Beach St. def. San Diego St., 10-15, 15-13, 15-7. **Semifinals:** Long Beach St. def. Army, 15-5, 15-1, 15-2; San Diego St. def. Ball St., 15-5, 15-7, 15-10. **Third Place:** Ball St. def. Army, 15-7, 15-8. **Championship:** San Diego St. def. Long Beach St., 11-15, 15-13, 15-8, 15-6.

**1974 Semifinals:** UCLA def. Ball St., 15-10, 15-9, 15-9; UC Santa Barbara def. Springfield, 15-7, 15-3, 15-10. **Third Place:** Ball St. def. Springfield, 15-4, 14-16, 15-9. **Championship:** UCLA def. UC Santa Barbara, 10-15, 15-8, 10-15, 15-11, 15-12.

**1975 Semifinals:** UC Santa Barbara def. Yale, 15-6, 15-4, 15-6; UCLA def. Ohio St., 15-1, 15-11, 8-15, 15-10. **Third Place:** Ohio St. def. Yale, 15-6, 15-9. **Championship:** UCLA def. UC Santa Barbara, 15-9, 7-15, 15-9, 15-10.

**1976 Semifinals:** UCLA def. Springfield, 15-4, 15-2, 15-5; Pepperdine def. Ohio St., 15-7, 15-11, 11-15, 8-15, 15-0. **Third Place:** Ohio St. def. Springfield, 15-4, 15-4. **Championship:** UCLA def. Pepperdine, 18-16, 15-9, 15-11.

**1977 Semifinals:** Ohio St. def. Pepperdine, 15-10, 5-15, 15-10, 16-14; Southern California def. Rutgers-Newark, 15-11, 15-10, 15-5. **Third Place:** Pepperdine def. Rutgers-Newark, 15-8, 15-6. **Championship:** Southern California def. Ohio St., 15-7, 9-15, 15-10, 15-12.

**1978 Semifinals:** UCLA def. Rutgers-Newark, 15-11, 15-8, 15-8; Pepperdine def. Ohio St., 9-15, 15-1, 9-15, 15-13, 15-12. **Third Place:** Ohio St. def. Rutgers-Newark, 15-11, 15-12, 15-9. **Championship:** Pepperdine def. UCLA, 15-12, 11-15, 15-8, 5-15, 15-12.

**1979 Semifinals:** Southern California def. Rutgers-Newark, 15-6, 15-5, 15-7; UCLA def. Ball St., 15-3, 15-1, 15-4. **Third Place:** Rutgers-Newark def. Ball St., 15-11, 13-15, 12-15, 15-7, 15-13. **Championship:** UCLA def. Southern California, 12-15, 15-12, 15-11, 15-7.

**1980 Semifinals:** Southern California def. Rutgers-Newark, 15-10, 15-8, 15-7; UCLA def. Ohio St., 15-8, 15-7, 15-7. **Third Place:** Ohio St. def. Rutgers-Newark, 15-12, 15-9, 15-2. **Championship:** Southern California def. UCLA, 15-7, 6-15, 15-13, 15-8.

**1981 Semifinals:** UCLA def. Ohio St., 15-8, 15-7, 15-9; Southern California def. Penn St., 15-2, 15-6, 15-8. **Third Place:** Penn St. def. Ohio St., 17-15, 10-15, 15-7, 15-8. **Championship:** UCLA def. Southern California, 11-15, 15-7, 15-11, 8-15, 15-13.

**1982 Semifinals:** UCLA def. Ohio St., 15-10, 15-12, 15-7; Penn St. def. Southern California, 15-13, 4-15, 15-13, 6-15, 15-11. **Third Place:** Southern California def. Ohio St., 12-15, 15-2, 15-9. **Championship:** UCLA def. Penn St., 15-4, 15-9, 15-7.

**1983 Semifinals:** Pepperdine def. Penn St., 15-12, 15-7, 15-9; UCLA def. Ohio St., 15-4, 15-5, 15-4. **Third Place:** Ohio St. def. Penn St., 15-13, 15-12, 13-15, 15-10. **Championship:** UCLA def. Pepperdine, 15-11, 15-13, 16-14, 15-7.

**1984 Semifinals:** Pepperdine def. George Mason, 15-12, 15-5, 15-13; UCLA def. Ball St., 15-8, 15-4, 15-6. **Third Place:** George Mason def. Ball St., 15-6, 19-17, 15-9. **Championship:** UCLA def. Pepperdine, 15-11, 15-13, 16-18, 15-12.

**1985 Semifinals:** Southern California def. George Mason, 15-4, 15-11, 15-10; Pepperdine def. Ball St., 15-2, 15-2, 15-7. **Third Place:** George Mason def. Ball St., 15-12, 15-6, 15-5. **Championship:** Pepperdine def. Southern California, 10-15, 15-10, 15-7, 15-13.

**1986 Semifinals:** Southern California def. Ohio St., 15-5, 15-10, 15-3; Pepperdine def. Penn St., 15-11, 13-15, 15-11, 15-12. **Third Place:** Penn St. def. Ohio St., 15-9, 15-1, 15-11. **Championship:** Pepperdine def. Southern California, 7-15, 15-13, 15-11, 5-15, 16-14.

**1987 Semifinals:** Southern California def. Penn St., 15-12, 9-15, 5-15, 15-12, 15-9; UCLA def. Ohio St., 15-7, 15-10, 15-11. **Third Place:** Penn St. def. Ohio St., 15-3, 15-6, 15-6. **Championship:** UCLA def. Southern California, 15-11, 15-2, 16-14.

**1988 Semifinals:** UC Santa Barbara def. George Mason, 15-9, 15-9, 15-13; Southern California def. Ball St., 15-7, 15-7, 15-11. **Third Place:** Ball St. def. George Mason, 14-16, 15-13, 15-9, 16-14. **Championship:** Southern California def. UC Santa Barbara, 15-17, 14-16, 15-10, 15-11, 15-9.

**1989 Semifinals:** UCLA def. Penn St., 15-6, 15-4, 15-9; Stanford def. Ball St., 15-13, 8-15, 15-9, 15-13. **Third Place:** Penn St. def. Ball St., 15-13, 15-11, 15-6. **Championship:** UCLA def. Stanford, 15-1, 15-13, 4-15, 15-12.

**1990 Semifinals:** Southern California def. Ball St., 15-4, 15-11, 15-10; Long Beach St. def. Rutgers-Newark, 15-4, 15-8, 15-5. **Third Place:** Ball St. def. Rutgers-Newark, 15-12, 15-4, 7-15, 15-6. **Championship:** Southern California def. Long Beach St., 15-10, 12-15, 15-4, 15-6.

**1991 Semifinals:** Southern California def. IPFW, 15-9, 15-8, 12-15, 15-3; Long Beach St. def. Penn St., 15-6, 15-3, 17-16. **Third Place:** IPFW def. Penn St., 9-15, 15-6, 15-13, 15-3. **Championship:** Long Beach St. def. Southern California, 15-11, 15-6, 8-15, 15-8.

**1992 Semifinals:** Pepperdine def. Penn St., 17-16, 15-4, 15-9; Stanford def. IPFW, 15-11, 15-11, 11-15, 13-15, 15-10. **Third Place:** Penn St. def. IPFW, 15-4, 15-5, 15-6. **Championship:** Pepperdine def. Stanford, 15-7, 15-13, 16-14.

**1993 Semifinals:** Cal St. Northridge def. Penn St., 15-2, 15-5, 15-11; UCLA def. Ohio St., 15-4, 15-4, 15-2. **Third Place:** Penn St. def. Ohio St., 7-15, 8-15, 15-10, 16-14, 15-10. **Championship:** UCLA def. Cal St. Northridge, 15-8, 15-11, 15-10.

**1994 Semifinals:** Penn St. def. Ball St., 9-15, 15-7, 15-10, 15-6; UCLA def. IPFW, 15-3, 15-8, 15-4. **Third Place:** Ball St. def. IPFW, 15-10, 15-12, 15-11. **Championship:** Penn St. def. UCLA, 9-15, 15-13, 4-15, 15-12, 15-12.

**1995 Semifinals:** Penn St. def. Hawaii, 7-15, 15-13, 16-14, 6-15, 15-12; UCLA def. Ball St., 15-12, 15-9, 15-10. **Third Place:** Ball St. def. Hawaii, 15-6, 10-15, 15-13, 15-8. **Championship:** UCLA def. Penn St., 15-3, 15-10, 15-10.

**1996 Semifinals:** UCLA def. Lewis, 15-7, 15-8, 15-10; Hawaii def. Penn St., 15-9, 15-3, 13-15, 15-7. **Championship:** UCLA def. Hawaii, 15-13, 12-15, 9-15, 17-15, 15-12.

**1997 Semifinals:** UCLA def. Penn St., 15-13, 13-15, 15-4, 10-15, 15-10; Stanford def. Ball St., 15-6, 15-9, 15-10. **Championship:** Stanford def. UCLA, 15-7, 15-10, 9-15, 6-15, 15-13.

**1998 Semifinals:** UCLA def. Lewis, 13-15, 15-9, 15-6, 13-15, 15-11; Pepperdine def. Princeton, 15-1, 15-6, 15-4. **Championship:** UCLA def. Pepperdine, 15-11, 15-11, 15-7.

**1999 Semifinals:** BYU def. Penn St., 10-15, 15-4, 15-11, 15-5; Long Beach St. def. IPFW, 15-11, 10-15, 8-15, 15-2, 15-13. **Championship:** BYU def. Long Beach St., 15-9, 15-7, 15-10.

**2000 Semifinals:** Ohio St. def. Pepperdine, 17-15, 15-9, 15-10; UCLA def. Penn St., 15-11, 15-8, 15-10. **Championship:** UCLA def. Ohio St., 15-8, 15-10, 17-15.

**2001 Semifinals:** UCLA def. Ohio St., 30-21, 30-20, 22-30, 30-24; BYU def. Penn St., 30-28, 28-30, 30-28, 30-26. **Championship:** BYU def. UCLA, 30-26, 30-26, 32-30.

**2002 Semifinals:** \*Hawaii def. Penn St., 30-26, 27-30, 35-33, 30-27; Pepperdine def. Ball St., 30-32, 30-19, 30-20, 33-31. **Championship:** \*Hawaii def. Pepperdine, 29-31, 31-29, 30-21, 30-24.

*\*Participation in 2002 tournament vacated by NCAA Committee on Infractions*

**2003 Semifinals:** \*Lewis def. Pepperdine, 30-27, 29-31, 30-27, 25-30, 15-13; BYU def. Penn St., 36-34, 30-25, 28-30, 30-26. **Championship:** \*Lewis def. BYU, 42-44, 30-27, 30-21, 23-30, 15-12.

*\*Participation in 2003 tournament vacated by NCAA Committee on Infractions.*

**2004 Semifinals:** Long Beach St. def. Penn St., 30-26, 30-26, 30-26; BYU def. Lewis, 30-21, 30-28, 30-21. **Championship:** BYU def. Long Beach St., 15-30, 30-18, 20-30, 32-30, 19-17.

**2005 Semifinals:** Pepperdine def. Ohio St., 30-16, 31-29, 30-26; UCLA def. Penn St., 30-20, 30-24, 30-27. **Championship:** Pepperdine def. UCLA, 30-23, 23-30, 24-30, 30-25, 15-10.

**2006 Semifinals:** UCLA def. IPFW, 30-25, 30-23, 30-28; Penn St. def. UC Irvine, 32-30, 30-23, 31-33, 27-30, 15-13. **Championship:** UCLA def. Penn St., 30-27, 30-27, 30-27.

**2007 Semifinals:** IPFW def. Pepperdine, 27-30, 30-27, 30-27, 30-25; UC Irvine def. Penn St., 30-25, 30-22, 26-30, 30-23. **Championship:** UC Irvine def. IPFW, 30-20, 24-30, 30-23, 30-28.

**2008 Semifinals:** Penn St. def. Ohio St., 30-21, 26-30, 30-22, 30-17; Pepperdine def. Long Beach St., 30-26, 30-21, 30-26. **Championship:** Penn St. def. Pepperdine, 27-30, 33-31, 30-25, 30-23.

**2009 Semifinals:** Southern California def. Penn St., 27-30, 30-26, 30-26, 30-24; UC Irvine def. Ohio St., 30-25, 30-25, 30-26. **Championship:** UC Irvine def. Southern California, 26-30, 30-23, 26-30, 30-17, 15-12.