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FLORIDA TENNIS QUICK FACTS

General Information

Location:	Gainesville, Florida
Population:	120,919
Founded:	1853
Enrollment:	51,733
Nickname:	Gators
Colors:	Orange and Blue
Conference:	Southeastern (SEC)
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Head Coach:	Roland Thornqvist (North Carolina, 1996)
Overall:	248-66 (12 years)
Florida Record:	173-16 (seven years)
Associate Head Coach:	Dave Balogh (Florida, 1996)
Volunteer Assistant:	Tony Giannoni (Florida, 2004)
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2008-09 Roster Review

Letterwinners Returning / Lost from 2008:	3 / 5
Newcomers:	3
Seniors/Juniors/Sophomores/Freshmen:	0 / 3 / 0 / 3

2007-08 Season Review

Overall Season Record:	24-3
SEC Record:	11-0 (Champions)
Final ITA National Ranking:	No. 5
Final ITA South Region Ranking:	No. 1
NCAA Championship:	4-1 (Semifinals)
SEC Tournament:	2-1 (No. 1 Seed, Runner-Up)
National Team Indoors:	did not compete
Grand Slam Champions:	none
All-Americans (2 Gators, 2 Honors):	Megan Alexander (doubles) & Marrit Boonstra (doubles)
All-SEC (5 Gators, 5 Honors):	First Team: Whitney Benik, Csilla Borsanyi & Julia Cohen; Second Team: Megan Alexander & Anastasia Revzina
SEC Freshman of the Year:	Julia Cohen
SEC Academic Honor Roll (4):	Megan Alexander, Lolita Frangulyan, Anastasia Revzina & Diana Srebrovic
SEC Freshman Academic Honor Roll (1):	Marrit Boonstra
ITA Scholar-Athlete (min. 3.5 GPA):	Lolita Frangulyan
ITA All-Academic Team (min. 3.2 Team GPA):	2008 UF Team

NCAA History

NCAA Appearances:	26 (of a possible 27)
	(1982-83-84-85-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-00-01-02-03-04-05-06-07-08)
NCAA Record:	75-22
NCAA Team Titles:	1992, 1996, 1998 & 2003
NCAA Singles Champions:	3 Gators with 4 titles Shaun Stafford (1988), Lisa Raymond (1992 & 1993), & Jill Craybas (1996)
NCAA Doubles Champions:	3 teams with 4 titles Jillian Alexander & Nicole Arendt (1991) and Dawn Butz & Stephanie Nickitas (1996 & '97) and Whitney Laihio & Jessica Lehnhoff (2001)

Additional Program History

Overall Record:	799-114 (36 years)
Individual Grand Slams Titles:	17 Gators, 23 titles (13 singles, 10 doubles titles)
Team Grand Slam Titles:	10 (4 NCAA, 6 NWTIC)
All-Americans:	41 Gators with 103 honors
SEC Championships:	23 (of a possible 29)
SEC Tournament Titles:	15 (of a possible 21)



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