



UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE

2002 WOMEN'S LACROSSE PRE-SEASON INFORMATION

2002 DELAWARE LACROSSE QUICK FACTS

UNIVERSITY FACTS

LocationNewark, Delaware 19716
 Enrollment:16,000
 Founded:1743
 Nickname:Fightin' Blue Hens
 Colors:Royal Blue and Gold
 Affiliations:NCAADivision I
 Conference:Colonial Athletic Association
 Year Joined Conference:Fourth year (affiliate member in 1993-95)

ADMINISTRATIVE STAFF

President Dr. David P. Roselle
 NCAA Faculty RepDr. John L. Burmeister
 Athletic Director Edgar N. Johnson
 Athletic Office Phone302-831-4006
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 Events SupervisorShane Brey
 Athletics DevelopmentKathleen Houghton
 Sports Medicine PhysicianDr. Vincent Disabella
 Head Trainer Keith Handling
 Assoc. Head TrainerJoan Couch
 Assistant TrainerMike Higgins
 Assistant TrainerJohn Smith
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SPORTS INFORMATION

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 Radio Station:WVUD 91.3 FM
(will broadcast selected games during season)



ALL-AMERICAN CANDIDATE - GK LAURIE TORTORELLI

WOMEN'S LACROSSE INFORMATION

Head CoachDenise Wescott
 Alma Mater(Maryland '80)
 Record at Delaware87-55 (8 seasons)
 Record Overall109-86 (12 seasons)
 Lacrosse Office Phone(302) 831-4057
 Assistant CoachKristen Sander (George Mason '00), 2nd season
 Graduate AssistantAlison Fisher (Lafayette '01), 1st season

2001 Record7-10 (5-1, America East, 2nd Place)
 Post-Seasonlost to Boston Univ., 11-6 in America East semifinals
 Final IWLCANational RankingReceived votes
 2002 CaptainsLaurie Tortorelli, Ashley Moderacki
 Letterwinners Returning/Lost12 / 6
 Starters Returning/Lost6 / 6
 Home FieldRullo Stadium
 Capacity, Surface:2,000, ActionTurf, Lights
 Rullo Press Box Phone(302) 831-3526

DELAWARE WOMEN'S LACROSE HISTORY

All-Time Record244-159-1 (24 seasons since 1978)
Conference Titles7 (1983, 1984, 1986, 1987, 1997, 1998, 1999)
NCAA Tournament Appearances:3
1983 (NCAA Champions)
1984 (3rd Place)
2000 (1st Round)

2002 PLAYERS TO WATCH (2001 Honors)

Laurie Tortorelli (Sr., GK).....4th-year starter in goal
1st team IWLCAll-Mid-Atlantic Region
1st team All-America East
609 save pct., 8.29 gaa in 2001

Ashley Moderacki (Sr., A).....2nd team All-America East
2nd team IWLCAll-Mid Atlantic Region
top returning scorer (32 goals, 11 assists in 2001)

Corinne Shuck (Sr., M).....2nd team All-America East
22 goals, 5 assists in 2001

Johanna Israel (Sr., D).....3rd-year starter in 2002

2002 TOP NEWCOMERS TO WATCH

Jeanette Dunnigan (Defense).....Bay Shore, NY (Bay Shore HS)
Erin Edell (Midfield).....Glenelg, MD (Glenelg HS)

KEY LOSSES (2001 Honors)

Katy Hahn (Defense)Team MVP
2nd team All-America East
2nd team CoSIDADistrict II All-Academic Team

Claire Marrazzo (Defense).....1st team All-America East
2nd team CoSIDADistrict II All-Academic Team
America East Scholar-Athlete of the Year for women's lacrosse

Megan Fortunato (Attack)1st team All-America East
1st team IWLCAll-Mid Atlantic Region
Leading scorer (35 goals, 15 assists)

Kate O'Connell (Attack)2nd team All-America East
23 goals, 16 assists in 2001



ALL-CONFERENCE MIDFIELDER ASHLEY MODERACKI (#21)

2002 DELAWARE WOMEN'S LACROSE SCHEDULE

March

5 at *Drexel.....3 p.m.
 9 at *Old Dominion1 p.m.
 13 **Rutgers**.....3:30 p.m.
 20 ***Towson**7 p.m.
 23 ***James Madison**12 noon
 25 Ohio State (at Notre Dame).....1 p.m.
 26 at Notre Dame4 p.m.
 30 at *William & Mary.....1 p.m.

April

3 at Princeton.....7:30 p.m.
 5 **Pennsylvania**7 p.m.
 9 at *Loyola3:30 p.m.
 11 ***George Mason**.....7 p.m.
 14 ***Hofstra**12:30 p.m.
 19-21 Colonial Athletic Assoc. Championships at Richmond, VA
 24 at Temple3 p.m.

May

1 at Cornell4 p.m.
 4 **Penn State**1 p.m.

*=Colonial Athletic Association Games