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2001 Stanford Men's Tennis Record: 23-1 (7-0 Pac-10) Pac-10 Champions ITA Team Ranking: #2

STANFORD EYES NCAA REPEAT: The Stanford men's tennis team shoots for its unprecedented 18th NCAA Team Championship, and second in a row, this week at the University of Georgia ... The Cardinal (23-1), which has won 13 of its championships in Athens, opens play on Saturday, May 19 at 11:00 a.m. (ET) against 20th-ranked Pepperdine (19-7) ... If Stanford wins, it will face either #6 Tennessee (20-5) or #10 South Alabama (27-2) in the quarterfinals on Sunday at 11:00 a.m. (ET) ... The semifinals will be held on Monday at noon and 4:00 p.m. (ET), with the championship match to take place on Tuesday at 4:00 p.m. (ET) ... Stanford is the top seed in the tournament, followed by UCLA (22-2), Georgia (24-1), Texas A&M (26-3) and TCU (22-2) ... The Cardinal and Bruins head a five-school Pac-10 contingent (California, USC and Washington), which is the most of any conference.

BRACKET BREAKDOWN: Stanford is 21-2 all-time against Pepperdine, including a 5-2 home win on April 17 at the Taube Family Tennis Stadium ... The Cardinal has won 10 straight in the series dating back to 1986 ... Stanford has won both post-season meetings between the schools ... The Cardinal prevailed 6-3 in the 1980 semifinals and 5-2 in the 1986 championship match ... Both of those contests were played in Georgia ... Stanford and South Alabama have never met on the tennis court ... The Cardinal is a perfect 4-0 against Tennessee, including a 5-2 win in the 19990 NCAA Championship Match in Indian Wells, California ... Stanford and Tennessee last met on Feb. 26, 2000 in the semifinals of the National Team Indoor Championships in Louisville, Kentucky ... The Cardinal won that match 4-3.

STANFORD VS. THE FIELD: Stanford has played 10 of its 24 matches (41.7 percent) against the other 15 teams remaining in the NCAA Championships ... All totaled, the Cardinal was 9-1 in those 10 contests ... Only two of those 10 matches came against non-conference opposition, with a 4-0 win over Duke on Feb. 17 in the semifinals of the USTA/ITA National Indoor Championships and a 5-2 home victory over Pepperdine on April 17 ... Against the Pac-10 teams competing in Athens, Stanford went 2-1 against UCLA, 2-0 vs. both California and USC and 1-0 against Washington.

NCAA NOTES : Stanford University has won more NCAA Men's Tennis Team Championships than any other school ... The Cardinal has won 17 compared to 15 for both UCLA and USC ... No other school has won more than three ... All of Stanford's championships have come since 1973, including four in the 70's, six in both the 80's and 90's and one

2000-01 Season Results		
Date	Opponent	Result
Oct. 6-8	National Collegiate Team Tennis	---
Oct. 10-15	at ITA All-American Championships	---
Oct. 28-Nov. 1	at ITA Regionals/Indoor Qualifying	---
Nov. 24	at NR/NR Hawaii**	W, 7-0
Jan. 13-15	at Sherwood Collegiate Cup	---
Jan. 26	at #63/NR Oregon*	W, 6-1
Jan. 27	at #28/#18 Washington*	W, 4-3
Feb. 1-4	at Rolex National Intercollegiate Indoors	---
<i>ComDisco Ventures Presents "Kickoff Weekend"</i>		
Feb. 9	#17/#23 Fresno State	cancelled (rain)
Feb. 10	#43/#63 San Diego State	W, 5-2
Feb. 15-18 National Team Indoors @ Seattle		
Feb. 15	vs. #55/#67 Princeton	W, 4-0
Feb. 16	vs. #8/#31 Florida	W, 4-0
Feb. 17	vs. #5/#5 Duke	W, 4-0
Feb. 18	vs. #3/#3 UCLA	L, 4-2
Feb. 23	NR/NR UC Irvine	W, 7-0
Feb. 24	at #25/#16 California	W, 6-0
March 2-4	at Pacific Coast Doubles	---
March 7	#67/#62 William & Mary	W, 7-0
March 28	#73/#70 BYU	W, 7-0
March 30	at #69/#37 Arizona	W, 5-2
March 31	at #28/#32 Arizona State	W, 6-1
April 4	NR/NR Utah	W, 7-0
April 6	at #1/#3 UCLA*	W, 4-3
April 7	at #20/#24 USC*	W, 4-2
<i>Cashin Company Realtors Presents "Twilight Tuesday"</i>		
April 10	#27/#16 California*	W, 5-2
<i>Deutsche Banke Alex. Brown Presents "Pac-10 Weekend"</i>		
April 13	#32/#32 Arizona State*	W, 6-1
April 14	#33/#37 Arizona*	W, 7-0
<i>Cashin Company Realtors Presents "Twilight Tuesday"</i>		
April 17	#12/#20 Pepperdine	W, 5-2
<i>Bank of the West Presents "The Stanford Challenge"</i>		
April 21	#1/#3 UCLA	W, 4-3
April 22	#18/#24 USC	W, 6-1
April 26-29	Pac-10 Individual Championships	---
NCAA 1st/2nd Rounds @ Stanford		
May 12	NR Pacific	W, 4-0
May 13	#39 Oklahoma State	W, 4-0
NCAA Team Championships @ Athens, Georgia		
May 19	#20 Pepperdine	11:00 a.m. (ET)
May 20	#6 Tennessee/#10 So. Ala.	11:00 a.m. (ET)
May 21	Semifinals	noon (ET)/4:00 p.m. (ET)
May 22	Finals	4:00 p.m. (ET)
May 23-28	NCAA Individual Champ. @ Athens, GA	
* Pacific-10 Conference match		
** - Exhibition match - does not count in team record		
Home matches are in bold ; Team rankings are at time of match.		
All times are local to host site.		
First ranking listed is ITA Team Ranking (top 75) at time of match, second ranking is current ranking.		

Starting Lineup

Singles	Dual	Overall
#1 - Alex Kim (1)	19-2	26-3
#2 - K.J. Hippensteel (18)	18-4	31-7
#3 - David Martin (53)	13-6	24-12
#4 - Ryan Haviland (77)	13-4	21-8
#5 - Scotty Scott	10-4	20-8
#6 - Ali Ansari	19-3	32-7
Doubles		
#1 - K.J. Hippensteel/Alex Kim (15)	15-4	19-5
#2 - Scott Lipsky/David Martin (14)	16-4	33-6
#3 - Ali Ansari/Scotty Scott (41)	13-2	27-8

ITA Rankings (as of May 2) are in parentheses.

2000-01 Stanford Tournament Champions

ITA Regional/Indoor Qualifier:

Singles - K.J. Hippensteel

Doubles - Scott Lipsky/David Martin

Sherwood Collegiate Cup:

Doubles - Ali Ansari/Scotty Scott

Consolation Singles - Ali Ansari

National Intercollegiate Indoor Championships:

Singles - Alex Kim

Pacific-10 Conference Individual Championships:

Doubles - K.J. Hippensteel/Alex Kim

Invitational Singles - Scott Lipsky

Invitational Doubles - Scott Lipsky/David Martin

NCAA Team Results

2001

First Round - Stanford 4, Pacific 0 @ Stanford

Second Round - Stanford 4, Oklahoma State 0 @ Stanford

2000 (NCAA Champions)

First Round - Stanford 4, Northwestern 0 @ Stanford

Second Round - Stanford 4, Auburn 0 @ Stanford

Round of 16 - Stanford 4, Minnesota 0 @ Georgia

Quarterfinals - Stanford 4, Texas Christian 1 @ Georgia

Semifinals - Stanford 4, Florida 0 @ Georgia

Finals - Stanford 4, Virginia Commonwealth 0 @ Georgia

1999 (T9th)

First Round - Stanford 4, Sacramento State 0 @ Stanford

Second Round - Stanford 4, Georgia Tech 0 @ Stanford

Round of 16 - Baylor 4, Stanford 2 @ Georgia

1998 (NCAA Champions)

Round of 16 - Stanford 4, Minnesota 0 @ Georgia

Quarterfinals - Stanford 5, UCLA 0 @ Georgia

Semifinals - Stanford 4, Mississippi State 0 @ Georgia

Finals - Stanford 4, Georgia 0 @ Georgia

1997 (NCAA Champions)

Round of 16 - Stanford 4, Harvard 0 @ UCLA

Quarterfinals - Stanford 4, Texas 0 @ UCLA

Semifinals - Stanford 4, Mississippi 2 @ UCLA

Finals - Stanford 4, Georgia 0 @ UCLA

1996 (NCAA Champions)

Round of 16 - Stanford 4, Texas 0 @ Georgia

Quarterfinals - Stanford 4, USC 1 @ Georgia

Semifinals - Stanford 4, Georgia 3 @ Georgia

Finals - Stanford 4, UCLA 1 @ Georgia

already in the 2000's ... The Cardinal has won five of the last six national championships, nine of the last 13, and 15 of the last 24 ... Since the NCAA went to its current dual format in 1977, Stanford has won 79 of its 86 matches for a .919 winning percentage ... The Cardinal has won 26 of its last 27 NCAA duals, including 19 shutouts ... In its last two championship runs, Stanford has turned in the most dominant performances in the history of the sport ... The 1998 team did not lose a single point in four NCAA Tournament matches, while last year's squad lost just one point in six victories.

GOULD BECOMES ALL-TIME WIN LEADER IN DIVISION I MEN'S TENNIS; EYES ANOTHER MILESTONE:

Stanford head coach **Dick Gould** became the all-time Division I win leader in collegiate men's tennis history on Tuesday, April 17 with a 5-2 home win over Pepperdine ... Gould is an amazing 711-129 (.846) in 34-plus seasons to surpass **Dan Magill** of Georgia ... Magill retired with a career mark of 706-183 (.794) ... Gould, who was named ITA/Wilson Intercollegiate Coach of the Decade for both the 1980's and '90's, has led Stanford to 17 NCAA Team Championships, as well as coaching 10 national singles champions and six doubles champions ... With a team title this year, Gould can tie UCLA's **Al Scates** (men's volleyball) for NCAA crowns by a coach in a single sport.

THE RANKINGS: Stanford enters the NCAA Team Championships as the #2 the team in the nation ... Stanford was #1 in the country from the preseason through Feb. 20, #2 from Feb. 21-March 13, #7 from March 14-27, #6 from March 28-April 11, #4 from April 12-17, #1 from April 18-May 1 and #2 from May 2-present ... In the latest ITA Individual Rankings (May 2), Stanford owns five of the top 100 spots in singles and three of the top 50 slots in doubles ... *Seven of the 10 players on Stanford's roster are nationally-ranked in singles and/or doubles* ... In singles, defending NCAA Champion **Alex Kim (Potomac, MD/ Winston Churchill HS)** has held the #1 spot since April 18, and is followed by junior **K.J. Hippensteel (Roanoke, VA/International Academy)** at #18, sophomore **David Martin (Boca Raton, FL/Key Biscayne Prep)** at #53, sophomore **Ryan Haviland (Sumter, SC/ Sumter HS)** at #77 and sophomore **Scott Lipsky (Merrick, NY/ Bellmore-Kennedy HS)** at #97 ... In doubles, Pac-10 Invitational Champions Lipsky and Martin are #14, Pac-10 Main Draw Champions Hippensteel and Kim are #15 and seniors **Ali Ansari (Houston, TX/ Second Baptist HS)** and **Scotty Scott (Belvedere, CA/Pinewood School)** are #41.

DUALLY NOTED: Stanford is 23-1 overall (its 14th consecutive 20-win season) and won its fifth straight Pacific-10 Conference title with a perfect 7-0 record ... Stanford has won 17 straight duals dating back to Feb. 23 ... The Cardinal is 13-1 at home, 7-0 on the road and 3-1 at neutral sites ... During the streak, Stanford has outscored its opposition 94-17 ... Also included in the streak are seven wins over top 25 opposition (two over #3 UCLA, two over #16 California, one over #20 Pepperdine and two over #24 USC) ... The Cardinal also finished second in the USTA/ITA National Team Indoor Championships in Seattle on Feb. 15-18 ... The Cardinal advanced to the finals with shutout wins over Princeton, Florida and Duke before falling to UCLA 4-2 in the finals.